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County finds extra \$25,000 for McNamara airport

By Lori Swarthout

Crawford County Commissioners learned of a \$30,000 budget surplus at their last meeting, September 23. Commissioners later voted to use \$25,000 of this surplus to fund McNamara Airport for 1992.

County treasurer Joseph Wakeley reported early in the meeting that completion of the 1991 audit revealed a surplus of more than \$30,000. This surplus resulted from spending less than projected in 1991. Wakeley informed the commissioners that this surplus resulted in a 1992 beginning fund balance of \$58,000 instead of the projected \$27,000. Commission chairman Lee Riley later commented on these figures saying, "I haven't done such a bad job after all."

After hearing from Wakeley, discussion was held on approving funding for McNamara airport. Chamber of Commerce Executive Director Deborah Allen read a letter from the chamber in support of funding for the airport. Commissioner Joseph Callewaert requested a report on civilian use of the airport. Commissioner Dennis Long said that he would take responsibility for filing such a report.

The motion was made by Commissioner Loren Goodale to

approve a transfer of \$25,000 from the county general fund to the Transportation Authority for the airport for 1992. The motion requires the airport to submit a three year plan showing how it can become self-sufficient before approaching the county with a request for funds for 1993. The motion passed unanimously.

After the vote, Wakeley went on to explain that in addition to holding the line on costs, 1991's budget had not included proceeds from interest on the sale of the landfill, exclusive of the capital improvement fund, or a refund of unused workman's compensation premiums returned to the county from the state. According to Wakeley, the gypsy moth program, new mainframe computer, and funding the airport have used most of the windfall.

Commissioner Bob Smock ended the budget discussion by saying, "It's really great to hear some positive things about money in the county."

HUD APPROVAL

In other action Commissioner Joseph Callewaert reported that Crawford County's Housing Commission has finally received official approval from the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development. This approval will allow the county to obtain funds from H.U.D. for the purpose of providing federally assisted housing.

"I've worked with H.U.D. secretary Jack Kemp, Congressman Dave Camp, and many local people for three years to reach this goal," said Callewaert. "I'm proud to announce that Crawford County will now be able to access housing and development dollars that were lost to us in previous years."

TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY

Long reported that Grayling Township was resisting adoption of the new articles of incorporation

approved by county commissioners at the last meeting. The new articles would allow expansion of the transportation authority's board to include townships besides Grayling. Long said that legal counsel David Sabin had informed him that county commissioners could reorganize the

transportation authority and that the county could become the sole transportation authority. Long recommended that the board consider acting on Sabin's advice. Long further said that these efforts are not an attempt to exclude Grayling Township, but simply to make the transportation

authority more representative of all Crawford County.

JAIL PLANS

Northstar Management and Consulting representatives presented a revised blueprint for the new jail addition. Architect George

Moutsatson said that before preparing these plans he had worked closely with jail administrator Captain Mike Johnson. According to Moutsatson, most of their conversations had revolved around security. The revised plans have deleted one eight-cell block

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Board of education to look for different solution to overcrowding

By Kate Rowan

With the strong defeat of the Vision 2000 millage, the Crawford AuSable school district continues to look towards the future.

According to school board president Chris Duncley, the board will meet and hopefully come out with a new issue by Dec 15. This issue will not, however, be similar to the last millage. "Even though Vision 2000 was heavily defeated, I still think the people

feel it is the right issue, just at the wrong time," Duncley said.

Although the current economy added to the defeat, it was probably not the entire cause of its downfall, according to Duncley.

"I think it's not as much the economy in this area as it is the people's frustration with Lansing," he said.

In the Grayling precinct, the bond issue was defeated 1532-978, the

operational millage was defeated 1507-988. In Frederic, the bond went down at 331-112, the millage failed at 318-126. In Lovells the bond failed by

143-34, and the millage by 144-44. The totals were 2006 no -1137 yes for the bond, and 1969 no -1158 yes for the millage.

Recycling programs growing in county

Confused about recycling programs in Crawford County? Although all the bugs are not yet ironed out, progress is being made toward recycling more items in Crawford County.

The City Environmental Service Landfill is open to all county residents and accepts these recycling items free of charge: plastic (#1 and #2 only—check bottom of container for recycling number), corrugated cardboard, clear glass, tin cans (if washed and flattened with labels removed), and newspapers.

The landfill is open Monday through Saturday, 7 a.m. to 5 p.m.

The parking lot of Glen's Market in

Grayling is also the site of a recycling drop-off bin for all county residents on the 1st and 15th of every month. This bin accepts the same recycling items as the landfill: plastic (#1 and #2), corrugated cardboard, clear glass, tin cans (if washed and flattened with labels removed), and newspapers.

Currently, Glen's is accepting styrofoam and clear plastic inside the store daily.

Several townships also accept some recycling items at their collections sites. The chart shows the places and items. For more information on recycling, call City Environmental Service 732-3553.

Governor to meet candidate Allen Lowe

Governor John Engler will make another visit to Gaylord -- this time to meet with Allen Lowe, candidate for State Representative in the 105th District.

The public is invited to a special reception at Marsh Ridge Resort (formerly Norden Hem) on Wednesday, October 7, from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. to greet both Governor John Engler and Allen Lowe.

"It's nice once again to see the governor take time to come up to the

northern area," said Grayling businesswoman Mary Coy. "He seems to be the first governor to take a real interest up here outside of his election year campaign."

"He recognizes what I've learned first hand," said Coy, "that Allen Lowe has high standards and cares for the needs of our northern Michigan. He will be a representative of integrity for us in Lansing."

For more information about the reception with the governor call 348-6197.

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United Way auction grows into biggest fundraiser of the year

Hundreds of great items will be sold during the annual United Way auction Saturday, October 3, at the Knights of Columbus Hall. The Silent Auction starts at 6 p.m. and the live auction begins at 7 p.m.

You will also be able to meet your local candidate in a different setting. The candidate of your choice will be serving snacks and drinks as part of their contribution to United Way. Just look for the red apron!

Items for the Grand Prize Board have reached a record total. One hundred dollar tickets for the chamber \$10,000 raffle have reached 11. That means 11 chances for someone to win. There are many opportunities to win dinner for two at a favorite restaurant,

or a valuable gift certificate at one of our great local shops. Keep in shape this winter with a month's membership at Rainbow Fitness, or get tanning sessions at a local salon. You can keep your car clean all winter if you win one of the prizes offered by Diane's Milltown Car Wash. Maybe you really love watching movies at home. You can win some with the gift certificate from Mc-Video.

Tickets for the prize board are \$10 and can be purchased ahead of time

from United Way workers. Just stop in at Mac's and ask for Moe or D. J. They'll be happy to sell you a ticket and you can win even if you're unable to attend the auction in person. The tickets will be drawn at intervals during the auction.

One of the favorite items to bid on at the auction is the "ready to eat" food. The Grayling Restaurant is again offering six shrimp platters extraordinary! Bear's Country Inn will send over nacho platters, wing

dings and a mystery snack. There will be hors d'oeuvre trays from the Copper Kettle as well as Rex's Homemade Cheese Cake. And... pizza, pizza, pizza — from Pizza Hut, Buccilli's and Little Caesars. If that's not enough, how about a six foot sub from the Loop/Dawn Donuts.

Speaking of food, don't forget the traditional GPA cookie platters that are back by popular demand.

The entire list of donated items is published inside this week.



AIRBAG HELPS DRIVER--Grayling City Police said Ray Cole, 62, of Flint, the driver of the car, was saved from serious injuries by an airbag. Jack Stevens, 32, of Grayling, driver of the Bronco, was not injured in the accident on Peninsular St. last Friday afternoon. As Stevens was turning into park, Cole was distracted and drove into the Bronco. Cole was listed as the driver at fault by police.

AuSable Marathon on T.V.

The Weyerhaeuser 1992 AuSable River Canoe Marathon will be on PASS Sports on Wednesday, September 30th, at 9:30 p.m. If you were a spectator, you may be shown along with all the racers.

COUNTY RECYCLING

► CITY OF GRAYLING ALL COUNTY RESIDENTS

Glen's Market, 1st and 15th of every month, accepts #1 and #2 plastics, corrugated cardboard, clear glass, tin cans if washed and flattened with labels off and newspapers, located on I-75 business loop

► GRAYLING TOWNSHIP

Grayling Township transfer station, accepts cans, cardboard, newspapers and plastic jugs, 2nd and 4th Saturday of every month, located on North Down River Road

► BEAVER CREEK TOWNSHIP

Beaver Creek Township transfer site, accepts paper, plastics and cardboard, located on Merrio Road

► LOVELLS TOWNSHIP

Two collection bins, accepts newspapers only, located at Old 612 and Twin Bridge Road or on North Down River Road west of McMasters Bridge Road

► SOUTH BRANCH TOWNSHIP

Collection bin, accepts newspapers only, located at Pioneer and Stecker Bridge Road

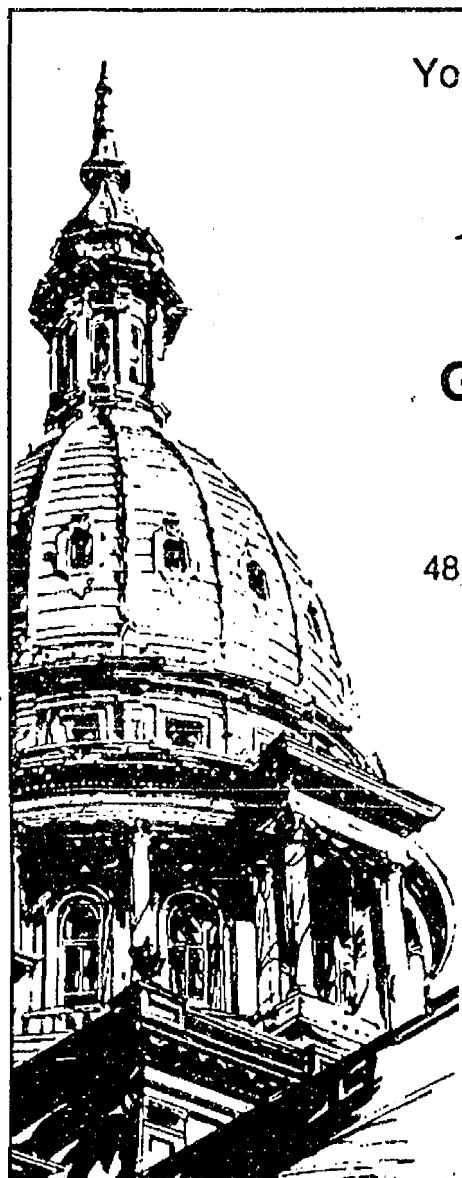
► MAPLE FOREST TOWNSHIP, FREDERIC TOWNSHIP, ALL COUNTY RESIDENTS

Free drop off from 7a.m. - 5p.m., Monday - Saturday at the City Environmental Service Landfill, accepts #1 and #2 plastics, corrugated cardboard, clear glass, tin cans if washed and flattened with labels off, newspapers and scrap metal, located on Sherman Road

*For more information call your township hall



HELPING RIVERHOUSE--Julie Schultz, crafting instructor for Timberview Village (middle), and Timberview residents including Clara Wimmer (left) made and donated two quilts and matching pillows to Barb Sands, representing Riverhouse Shelter.



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9/25	66	27	
9/26	71	32	
9/27	63	35	0.78
9/28	56	37	0.22
9/29	53	44	0.09

Extended forecast courtesy of the U.S. Weather Service in Houghton Lake: Wednesday will be partly sunny with the high of around 60. The outlook for Thursday through Saturday will be dry with a warming trend. The high Thursday will be in the low 60s while the high for Friday and Saturday will be in the mid 60s to 70. The low for Thursday will be in the mid 30s to mid 40s, warming to the low to mid 40s for Friday and Saturday.

District Court

Brian Scott Heacock, 23, of Milford, plead guilty to a charge of OUIL, and was ordered to spend 60 days in the County Jail, plus his license was suspended six months. He was cited June 3, 1990, by the Sheriff Dept.

Michael Ernest Torpie, 24, of Plymouth, plead guilty to a charge of Impaired Driving, and was fined \$525 or 60 days, plus his license was suspended 90 days. He was cited July 31, 1992, by the Sheriff Dept.

David Edward-Lee Vanalstine, 20, of Rudyard, plead guilty to a charge of Impaired Driving, and was fined \$525 or 60 days, plus his license was suspended six months. He was cited April 17, 1992.

Randy Lee Ray, 42, of Grayling plead guilty to a charge of Driving Revoked, and was fined \$305 or 30 days. He was cited July 29, 1992, by the Sheriff Dept.

Sharon Dianne Whidden, 36, of E. Jordan, plead guilty to a charge of NSF Check Under \$50, and was fined \$155 or 14 days, and ordered to pay \$31.25 restitution. She was cited February 2, 1992.

Carol Sue Dominy, 41, of Holly, plead guilty to a charge of NSF Check Under \$50, and was fined \$155 or 14 days, restitution paid. She was cited January 7, 1992, by the State Police Dept.

Michael Alan Sawatzke, 27, of Bay

City, plead guilty to a charge of Unlawful Possession of Marijuana, and was fined \$255 or 30 days. He was cited May 24, 1992, by the Sheriff Dept.

James Raymond Bokhart, 25, of Bay City, plead guilty to charges of Count I: Unlawful Use of Marijuana, and II: Retail Fraud 2nd Degree. He was any sentence or sentences then being fined \$255 or 30 days, on Count I, and served and Count II: Habitual Offender fined \$155 or 14 days, plus ordered to pay \$10 restitution on Count II. He maximum penalty of Life if primary offense has penalty of five years or more; 15 years or less if primary offense has penalty under five years. Behnke stood mute requiring the court

Brian Michael Schilling, 18, of Saline, plead guilty to a charge of Careless Use of Firearm, and was fined \$155 or 14 days. He was cited September 7, 1992, by the Conservation Dept.

David Edward-Lee Vanalstine, 20, of Rudyard, plead guilty to charges of Count I: Malicious Destruction Under \$100, and II: Attempt To Resist & Obstruct. He was fined \$205 or 30 days, on Count I, and fined \$205 or 30 days, plus ordered to pay \$396.08 restitution, and placed on one year probation, on Count II. He was cited April 17, 1992, by the Sheriff Dept.

Mary G. Carlson, 55, of Frederic, demanded a preliminary exam to a charge of 3 NSF checks Within 10 days. A \$500 cash or surety bond was set.

46th Circuit Court

Appearing before the Honorable Alton T. Davis, September 21:

David Volkenborn, age 46 of Roscommon, was arraigned on the charges of Count I: Welfare Fraud Over \$500; Count II: Failure To Inform Over \$500, a felony which carries a maximum penalty of four years and/or \$2,000, and Count III: Perjury, a felony which carries a penalty of 15 years. Volkenborn stood mute, requiring the court to enter a plea of not guilty on record.

Darryl Gene Wakeley, age 30 of Grayling, was arraigned on the charge of Criminal Sexual Conduct — First Degree, a felony, which carried a maximum penalty of Life or any term of years. Wakeley stood mute, requiring the court to enter a plea of not guilty on record. Bond was continued.

Brian Keith Behnke, age 36 of The Michigan Department of Corrections, was arraigned on Count I: Escaping From Prison, while an inmate at Camp Lehigh, Grayling. The maximum penalty is five years, such term of the termination, pursuant to law, of further imprisonment to be served after I: Unlawful Use of Marijuana, and II: Habitual Offender - 4th Conviction, which carries a maximum penalty of Life if primary offense has penalty of five years or more; 15 years or less if primary offense has penalty under five years. Behnke stood mute requiring the court

to enter a plea of not guilty on record.

Donna Etson, age 34 of Frederic, was sentenced on the charge of Failure To Inform Less Than \$500. Etson was placed on 24 months probation and ordered to pay \$400 court costs, \$645 attorney fees, and \$20 Crime Victims' Fund. Upon payment of all cost the balance of probation will be terminated.

James Carl Sandeen, Jr., age 45 of Benton Harbor, was sentenced to Life In Prison for Armed Robbery and a minimum of 35 years and a maximum of 60 years for Criminal Sexual Conduct 1st Degree, with credit for 159 days previously served. Sentences are to run concurrent.

David Leonard Porath, age 23 of Escanaba, appeared on a Probation Violation hearing. Porath plead guilty to Count I: Failure to Report, and Count II: Failure to Report Address Change. He was placed on a \$1,000 personal recognizance bond.

Randall Stephen Ouimet, age 25 of Gaylord, appeared on a Petition and Order To Show Cause for Failure To Pay Court Assessments. Restitution was paid in full and the petition was dismissed.

Raymond LeRoy Denno, Jr., age 26 of Grayling, appeared on a Petition and Order To Show Cause. Denno plead guilty to Count I: Failure To Complete Required Residential Treatment Program.

Magistrate

Appearing before Magistrate Jean Callewert:

James Norman Cross of Grayling, was fined \$115 for Hunt W/Firearm From Raised Platform.

Todd Thomas Draper of Troy, was fined \$65 for Fish Without License.

Donald Jewell of Coloma, was fined \$65 for Fish Without License.

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VFW Post changing its meeting place

The C. W. Borchers VFW Post 3736 will hold its regular meeting Thursday, October 8th, at 7 p.m.

Because the Chaparral Ranch burned, the VFW will temporarily have meetings at the Robert Scott residence, 3610 Jones Lake Rd. This will be only until they can find a more permanent location.

To find Scotts, go east on North Down River Road to Wilcox Bridge Road, .6 miles to Jones Lake Road, and .5 miles to Scotts.



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New faces start new year in Crawford AuSable schools

The Crawford AuSable School District hired 12 new staff members for the 1992-93 school year.

MARILYN CASE. Case, a 3rd grade teacher with the Utica schools since 1986, was hired to teach special education at Grayling Elementary School. She has a bachelor of science in education, with state endorsements in learning disabled and early childhood.

Case's grandparents are Earl and Clara Dawson and August and Hulda Engel.

"Both of my parents grew up here and graduated from Grayling," said Case. "My father, Norman Dawson, was a star basketball player and my mother, Tillie Engel Dawson, was valedictorian. I was born here and spent all holidays and many weekends in Grayling while growing up."

She enjoys gardening, tennis, reading, skiing and drawing.

Why did she move back to Grayling?

"I like the area and have family here. I like the friendly people, the beautiful lakes and nostalgia."

JENNIFER COTA. Cota, the new media aide at Grayling Elementary School, earned a B.S.C. in 1988 from Ohio University in interpersonal communications and an M.A. in 1990. She taught at Ohio University, Capital University and Ohio Dominican College.

Cota said she has vacationed in Lovells for ten years and "I've wanted to move to this area for several years."

She enjoys basketmaking, sewing and camping and is involved with the Girl Scouts.

MARY HINKLE. Hinkle, a half-time secretary at Grayling Elementary School, graduated from Gaylord High School and attended Central Michigan University. Previously, she worked at Wurtsmith Credit Union and Family Practice Clinic.

Hinkle, whose husband's family is from the area, enjoys boating, skiing and other sports.

"Crawford AuSable schools are great," she said. "The staff as well as the children. I like small towns."

JODY HINKLE. Hinkle, a 5th grade teacher at Grayling Middle School, has lived in Grayling for 20 years. A Grayling High School graduate, she earned a B.S. at Central Michigan University, with a major in science and a minor in reading. Hinkle previously was a substitute teacher in the school district for two years.

She enjoys golfing, reading and taking care of her two children.

"I wanted to work in Grayling because I live here and my children go to school here. I'm a part of this community," said Hinkle.

JIM LEWIS. A first-year English teacher at Grayling Middle School, Lewis earned his B.A.E. in English from Eastern Washington University.

The son of Grayling residents Gary and Shelley Radzwon, Lewis said, "I like the size and attitude of the community and I am intrigued by the growth potential of the school district."

He enjoys writing, fishing and golf.

BEA PATRICK. Patrick was hired as the library media specialist for Grayling Middle School. She earned a B.A. in 1972 from Central Michigan University in Spanish and French and an M.A. from CMU in 1990 in library science. She taught in her major areas at Central Montcalm High School in Stanton from 1972 to '75, then was a substitute teacher in the Cros-Lex Schools from '75 to '77 and in the CASD, beginning in '88.

Patrick, who has lived in Grayling since '79, enjoys basketweaving, cross-country skiing and reading.

Why did she apply for the library

position?

"My two children go to school here, and I like the small-town atmosphere and the closeness of the community."

DOUG PUMMELL. Pummell, hired to teach social studies at Grayling High School, graduated from Central Michigan University in 1992. A first year teacher, he enjoys sports, outdoor activities, reading and travelling.

"I was impressed with the school, the administrators, the students I met and the atmosphere of the community," Pummell said.

PATTY QUINLAN-BEDFORD. Quinlan-Bedford, the district's social worker, has a registered nursing degree from Madonna College of Nursing and a master's of social work from Wayne State University. Previously, she was a school social worker for the COOR Intermediate School District, was employed by Houghton Lake Community School and worked in various aspects of nursing, including part-time at Grayling Mercy Hospital's Emergency Room.

Quinlan-Bedford, who moved to Grayling three years ago, married GMS instructor Bill Bedford on June 26. She enjoys biking, hiking, art and Native American culture.

"I believe this is the most progressive school district in the North and I respect the philosophy of the staff," she said.

KAREN RAUCH-SMOCK. A life-long resident of Grayling, Rauch-Smock was hired as a 2nd grade teacher at Grayling Elementary School. After high school graduation in '86, she attended Northwestern Michigan College (associate's degree in liberal arts) and Central Michigan University (bachelor of science in education), where she had memberships in Kappa Delta Pi and National Golden Key Honor Society, and participated in student government. Before hired by CASD, Rauch-Smock was a summer enrichment instructor, worked in retail, and was a substitute teacher.

"I chose to work here because I graduated from Grayling High and I feel the Crawford AuSable School District is a superior district. I live in the community and think it's a wonderful place to be a part of," she said.

DONIEL ST. AMOUR. St. Amour, a 1992 Central Michigan University graduate, accepted her first teaching assignment in mathematics and science at Grayling Middle School. She likes all sports, reading and travelling.

"CASD offers a positive educational environment and the area offers many opportunities for recreational activities," said St. Amour. "The community fosters a welcoming, family feeling."

SUZANNE SCHLACHTER. Schlachter, a new 2nd grade teacher at Grayling Elementary School, earned her B.A. degree from Saginaw Valley State University. While at SVSU, she worked for the College of Education. She also was a music director and organist for the St. Joseph Parish in Auburn for ten years and a reading teacher with the Pinconning Summer



NEW SCHOOL EMPLOYEES--New Crawford AuSable employees for the 1992-93 year are (left to right) Jennifer Cota, Bea Patrick, Mark VanHoose, Suzanne Schlachter, Jo Ellen Smith, Karen Rauch-Smock, Doug Pummell, Patty Quinlan-Bedford, Jim Lewis, Marilyn Case, and Doniel St. Amour. Not pictured, Mary Hinkle and Jody Hinkle. (Nancy Lemmen photo)

School.

She enjoys reading, polka dancing and outdoor activities.

Her reaction to Grayling? "I grew up in a small town and feel very comfortable in this area."

JO ELLEN SMITH. Smith, hired as a monitor at Grayling High School, attended Mason High School and Lansing Community College. Previously, she worked at Rochette's IGA as a night supervisor.

"A life-long recreational visitor" to Crawford County, Smith moved here from Lansing in 1989. She enjoys holiday decorating and golf and said

Grayling is a "very good place to raise a family."

MARK VANHOOSE. Van Hoose was hired as an assistant band director and social studies teacher at Grayling Middle School. He earned a B.M.E. from Central Michigan University and an M.M. from Northwestern University in Evanston, Illinois.

He was previously employed as a middle school band director in Bridgewater, New Jersey, and a middle school/high school director in Farwell. He likes hiking, skiing and camping.

What brought him to Grayling? "A great school system, great band program and my wife teaches instrumental music in Traverse City."

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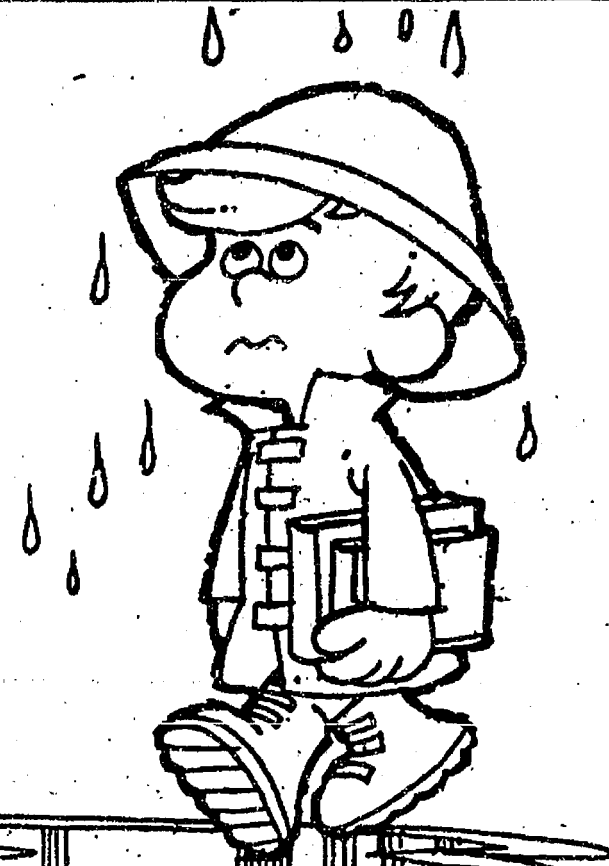
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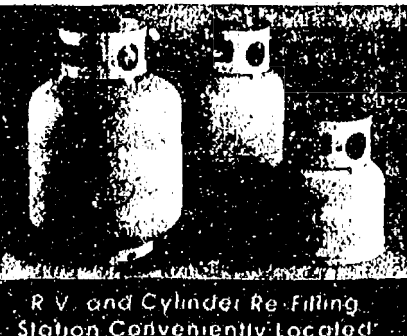
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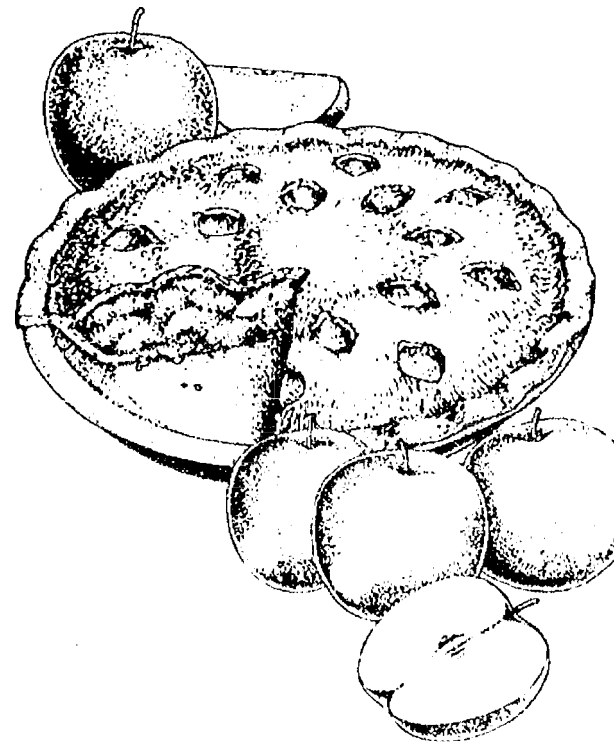
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Letters To The Editor

Death of pets is responsibility of owners not animal shelter

Many people stop me to tell me how much they enjoy my letters. They like hearing about the animal shelter and what goes on here. They always want to know when they will be seeing the next one. The good side of what happens here is what we all like to remember. There are many success stories, but there are also many stories that do not turn out well. Perhaps after reading this letter people will not be so anxious for the next.

As you know, I've been very proud of the fact that no healthy animal had been put to sleep since the animal shelter changed hands last December. Being a realistic person, I knew this practice couldn't continue forever. Too few people look for their pets when they're missing. Too many

people get rid of pets for whatever reason. The excuses range from "we got new carpet and they don't match" to "I'm moving and I can't keep them." Some have no reason, they're just tired of the pet they once believed they wanted. People bring us pets they've had for eight, nine, and even ten years. It's nearly impossible to place them.

When you first begin to work at an animal shelter, you are filled with enthusiasm. You fall in love with them easily and name nearly every one that comes through the door. A name makes them more personal to you. I have warned everyone who works at the shelter that this is a dangerous practice. I play with them, give them attention, but I do not name them. I love them but I try not to fall

in love. Of course, occasionally I do no matter how hard I try not to. I then work very hard to see that they get homes and don't become just another statistic.

Caring for the animals is a hard job, but when you love them it isn't a chore. I enjoy caring for all of them, I don't enjoy killing them, but there will never be enough homes for all of them. Working seven days a week doesn't wear me out nearly as much as one hour of killing does. I pet them and tell them how sorry I am that their lives must end this way. I have learned not to take the blame for their owners. I am not the person who didn't have them spayed or neutered, let them come into this world and then tried to pass the responsibility on to the animal

shelter, who couldn't be bothered to look for them when they were missing, or who just didn't want them anymore. Their deaths are a huge burden for me to bear, I cannot carry the weight of the responsibility also.

Finally, the day came that there were too many animals. I spent the entire morning killing 17 dogs and 10 kittens and cats. The killing was bad enough, but I felt like I had suffered a tremendous defeat. We had not killed a healthy animal for over nine months and I am proud of that fact. I still cannot justify the deaths, I just know it had to happen. I also know there are several more who must lose their lives before winter.

Loretha, who most of you know by now, does not help kill, it's my job.

She was there, however. She has not learned the lessons about falling in love with the animals. She names everything that comes through the door even though I have warned her of the consequences. It's a hard lesson and she believes they should have a name if they are to have nothing else out of their life. She has, however, learned about the nightmares that such a mass murder brings to you.

Please, have your pet spayed or neutered. Make 348-4117 your first call when your pet is missing. When you commit yourself to owning a pet, make sure you intend to keep it for the rest of its life. I'll continue to do this job I have chosen. Please just try to do your job a little better. Retha will have fewer nightmares and I will feel fewer defeats.

Dixie Lobsinger
Grayling

Opinions

Campground owners say coyotes do kill deer

Coyotes do eat deer. I know that they have to eat to survive, and no, I don't want to see all of them gone. Where they are over populated I do think that some of them should be killed off.

We have lived in this area most of our lives. Roy was born 69 years ago at the farm where we now live. We are both from families that have hunted a lot but we both enjoy animals and feed and watch them. We share our grocery store food with them.

Checking our back yard I find two dogs. Ours. They are house dogs and when out side are on a leash or tied. For their protection.

One man who came to our house told of two of his rabbit dogs being eaten by coyotes.

We do think of money. We need it to survive. We have a camp ground that caters to deer hunters. No deer

hunters, then no camp. Coyote watchers aren't that many. There are a lot of businesses that depend on or are helped by deer hunters. License fees, gas stations, grocery stores, motels, and etc. If we don't have deer hunters, we won't be going into those grocery stores to get our food either.

When you start thinking it is all right for a coyote to kill a few farm animals to survive, it should be you who pays the farmer for his lost animal.

As far as taking the coyotes' property, my husband's father homesteaded this place in 1901 and I think the different family members have paid enough taxes to have some say in it. Even if the coyote was here first.

If we are to leave nature alone, why does the DNR work with animals? They seem to think certain animals need help at certain times. They re-

locate bears when they become pests. Deer are killed by poaching and the DNR is trying to take care of that problem. Deer are killed by cars and there are now classes in driving safety. Why not kill a few coyotes and save more of the deer.

Yosemite Sam — As you say, it's rare but not unheard of for a coyote to travel alone. A day after I wrote the letter for the paper, the coyote came back with her pups and took the rest of

the fawn. As the daughter of a conservation officer I know that dogs do kill deer, but I also know that coyotes kill them. And this time it was a coyote. Not every thing goes by the rule, especially in nature.

We thought it was terrible to hear the fawn's death cries and we think it is necessary to kill some of the coyotes in our area.

Roy & Genevieve Wehnes

Reader wants America to wake up Nov. 3

The "New World Order" has no great appeal to me. If I had a company that I could move to Mexico, maybe I would feel differently. As it is, I have no desire to see the "New World Order" in my small world. What I need to see is a return to the American dream. Where I can support my family and look forward to our country's future.

I look at the issues the candidates are fighting over. Did they forget about the real issue? How are we going to get the economy back on track? What is going to be done with the deficit that has its hands around our throats? Will my son be taxed for most of his life for the profits enjoyed

by our generation?

When will "We the People" wake up and smell the odor drifting from Washington, D.C. — District of Criminals — something is rotting and we all know what it is. It's not the U. S. Constitution, or our Bill of Rights. The foul smell comes from the greed and corruption we expect and accept from our "Elected representatives." What happened to honest, patriotic government.

Have you read your Constitution lately? What has happened to the spirit of our forefathers? What has happened to the spirits of our generation? If there ever was a time for our country to wake up then that time has come. On Nov. 3 we have a chance to change the future of our country. If we believe that our vote has no voice and our will has given up, then our dream, the American dream, will be over.

Bart Perry
Frederic

Reader casting Weiss vote

As a proud American who loves his country and her flag, I would like to let your readers and the voters in the 105th House District know that I will not be able to cast my vote for Allen Lowe this Nov. 3rd because I want someone that has the personality and the ability to represent me in Lansing and I do not believe that Mr. Lowe has the personality to represent me in Lansing.

So come Nov. 3rd I will cast my vote for Mr. Tom Weiss because I believe that he has the personality and ability to be my representative in Lansing.

Joe Stanek
Grayling

Letters To The Editor

Your views are welcome on the Opinion Page. Letters may be typed or handwritten but please double space or use every other line.

Every letter must be signed and an address or phone number should be included. Letters will not be published without the author's name.

Let's Talk About It

By Joe Murphy

Today's Bay City Times carried a story of a 24-year-old man who started out at the tail end of last April on a wilderness hike in Alaska. His tragic end points out that the wilderness is no place for the inexperienced. His body was found by hunters in early September.

It appeared that he had starved to death in country where an experienced woodsman would have grown fat. He kept a sort of diary in which he told of killing a moose with the 22 rifle he carried. He butchered it out but stated the meat spoiled quickly. Any woodsman would have known enough to cut the meat in small strips and smoke it over a fire as the Indians have done for a mighty long time. Even that one moose would have been food enough to see him through if he had known how to preserve it. I am sure there must have been berries and edible plants that he could have eaten if he had known what they were and where to look for them.

He was from the state of Virginia and must have been unprepared to live off the land as he must have intended to do. Any woodsman worth his salt could not have only survived, but lived well in the wilderness during the summer months.

Too many folks today have got their wilderness experience from watching Walt Disney movies. Anyone planning such an adventure should have spent a little time reading a book written by or talked to men who know how to live where there is not a hamburger joint on every corner. Today's young people with their love for animals and concern for the environment offer hope that our wilderness will be preserved. Still

they must learn to live with and in it before using it.

Last Friday I went up to the Frederic school to give a talk to the fourth grade advanced studies class taught by Jill Emons. I was very impressed with the nice students and their interest in the school's history. They listened and asked good questions and I found it very enjoyable to share some school day memories with them. With such brilliant young minds being taught by good teachers, I feel a lot more confident in the future of our country.

I have to say that although this was not a great summer weather wise, it sure went by fast. I had a lot of plans of the things I was going to do this summer and most just didn't get done. I guess I'm just an old fool who lets little day by day chores and such take up too much of my time. When I was a working man, I used to dream about all the great hunts and travel I would do when I retired. Well, I have been retired eight years now and have sure not traveled very far. Hunting, which once was a big thing in my life, has kind of faded out and a few days in the woods around here is all I need anymore. As far as travel is concerned, I really don't like to drive that well and find that heavy traffic bothers me. So I guess most of my hunting and travel will be done sitting in my easy chair with a good book, hunting and traveling all over the world by printed word.



Almanack

Richard Millman

The great debate . . . that wasn't

DISAPPOINTMENT ABOUNDS in the East Lansing area, we are told, because the expected Sept. 22 great debate between President George Bush and Gov. Bill Clinton had to be cancelled. Well, "cancelled" is probably too strong a word. In truth, it had never really been "scheduled" in the first place.

The debate at Michigan State University had been proposed as the first of three presidential debates, along with one vice-presidential debate.

The proposal came from an organization called the Commission on Presidential Debates, which — according to reports — has been working since the 1988 election to get things lined up for this 1992 presidential election year.

But the commission neglected to line up one important detail.

Gov. Clinton accepted the proposed debate schedule immediately. President Bush never did.

Every debate needs at least two debaters, and the face-off at MSU never had more than Mr. Clinton as a participant. Mr. Bush didn't pull out of the debate, forcing it to be cancelled. He had never agreed to be there in the first place.

THE REASONS FOR the Bush hesitancy are fairly obvious. Mr. Bush is President; Mr. Clinton is not. To put both candidates on the same platform elevates the challenger to

the level of incumbent. That's part of Campaign Strategy 101.

Then there's the fact that Mr. Bush is not a great debater; he has said so himself. It's risky business for the President . . . much more so than for the challenger.

Mr. Bush has said he will debate Mr. Clinton, but not more than twice and only on his own terms — a panel of questioners rather than a single moderator.

The Bush-favored format inserts third parties between the candidates, and tends to soften direct attacks from Mr. Clinton. That, too, will favor the incumbent.

MR. CLINTON, OF COURSE, is trying to take full advantage of the situation. He scheduled a visit to Michigan anyway, to raise a little money and to court a few voters. He promised to be in Michigan for the debate, and he kept his promise. Hopefully Mr. Clinton will not resort to that sorry old device of debating an empty chair, a ploy which seeks to provide graphic evidence that an opponent is afraid to show up for a debate.

Will we see debates between Mr. Clinton and Mr. Bush somewhere, sometime? Probably. Presidential (and vice-presidential) debates seem to have become enough a part of a campaign lore that even an incumbent president will ignore them only at great political peril.

There's another factor, too. At

latest reports, Gov. Clinton is still quite a bit ahead of Mr. Bush in most opinion polls.

If President Bush recognizes that he's got quite a bit of ground to make up in a decreasing period of time, there's no better format for accomplishing a comeback than indirect confrontation between the candidates.

DO DEBATES INFLUENCE the results of elections?

Probably, in a close race, debates can have considerable effect. Political lore has established that in 1960, President John F. Kennedy rode to the White House at least partly because of voter reaction to his debates with Richard Nixon.

In 1976, President Gerald Ford stumbled in one televised debate with Gov. Jimmy Carter, who then ended up winning a close election.

But in races that are not close in the first place, debates probably have little or no effect on changing election results.

How about 1992? Well, if the Clinton-Bush race is as close as it appears to be, what happens in presidential debates could have important influence on who will be president for the next four years.

That is, if debates are ever held this year.

Billie Jo Miller
Roscommon

Reader says all players deserve share of limelight

I recently went to a Viking football game for the first time in a couple of years. I was really disappointed in the way these guys are being handled. Why are only some of the guys being played? I realize there are some better than others, but everyone deserves a chance to prove themselves.

Some of these guys might do real well under pressure, but all they've been able to show is their

practiceability. I know I'm not a coach and some feel there may be a legitimate reason for this, but the only one I can think of is the coaches are out to make themselves look good. I think it's a terrible thing to use these guys for what I feel is personal benefit. Let some of the others share in the limelight once in awhile.

Reader says to ignore voting scare tactics

Subject: Scare tactics on senior citizens.

To all senior citizens within the reading distance of this newspaper, be aware.

We have been subjected to the worst possible distribution of panic vote getting in the history of this country — namely by the candidates for President and Vice President of the Democratic party — (Clinton & Gore).

I have heard many times that a vote for Bush and Quayle will severely

injure our Social Security and Medicare programs for the aged and retired.

To issue such a statement as this is simply ludicrous. So many senior citizens depend on these benefits, that we worked for all our lives, so as to have some respectability for our senior years.

Please don't let Clinton and Gore scare you into voting Democratic. What they claim is not possible.

Wallace W. King
Grayling

New librarian feels welcomed at new job

I have been puzzling over how to properly thank the Chamber of Commerce and Crawford County Library patrons for the lovely floral arrangement and dish garden when your newspaper came to mind.

So, thanks everyone for the gifts and for making me feel so comfortable and welcome at the Crawford County Library.

Tracie Compton
Director



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Alumni News



GHS CLASS OF 1942—This class celebrated its 50th reunion at the annual Homecoming dinner September 26. (Left to right, top to bottom.) First row, Francis Annis, Fay Christenson, Junior Palmer, Betty Christenson (D), Frank Bond, Supt. (D), Cecil Roberts, Prin. and Class Advisor (D), Aileen Larson, Bob Chappel, Ann Bidvia (D), Herb McDonnell. Second row, Mildred Craft, Ted Nelson (D), Joyce Bugby, Dick Dibble, Weldon Nelson, Irene Pynnonen, Albert Bentley (D), Joanne Montour. Third row, Jay Stephan, Jean Stevenson, Bill Sorenson (D), Margaret Reynolds (D), Elmer Dunham, June Doroh, Ed Rutkowski, Jerrine Mathews, Clayton Gorman (D), Donna Lee LaMotte, Clarence Small. Fourth row, Eleanor Bugby (D), Betty Swanson, Ruth Kernosky, Ed Funck, Helen Newell, Carl Miller (D), Beatrice Carr, Dick Rasmusson, Gloria Brown (D), Elaine Broadbent, Eugenia Wheeler. Class officers were president Fay Christenson; vice president, Edwin Funck; secretary, Mildred Craft; and treasurer, Francis Annis. (D denotes deceased.)

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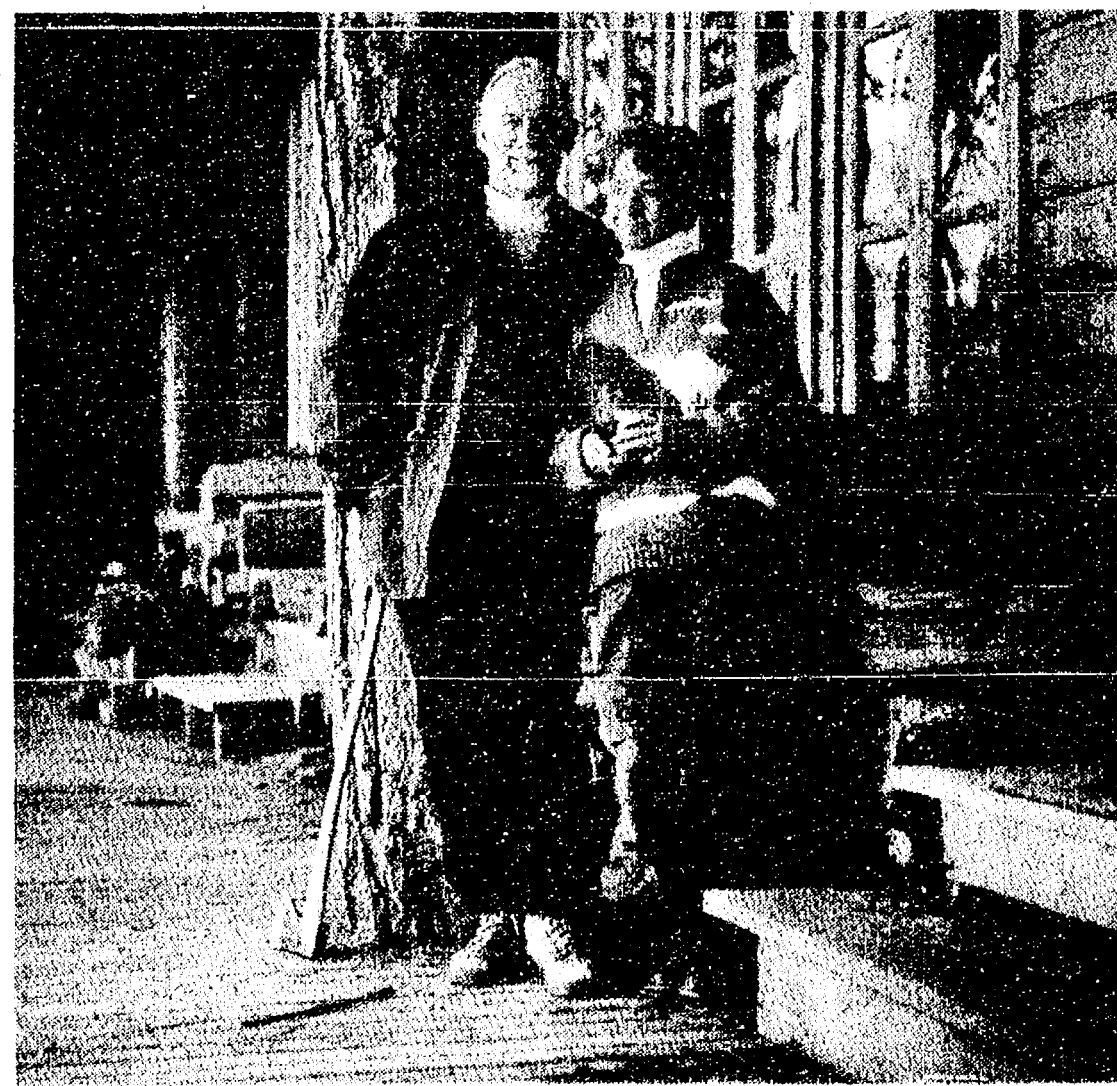
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A PROPOSAL TO LIMIT ANNUAL INCREASES IN HOMESTEAD PROPERTY TAX
ASSESSMENTS AND PROVIDE SEPARATE TAX LIMITATIONS FOR DIFFERENT
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PROPOSAL B

A PROPOSAL TO RESTRICT/LIMIT THE NUMBER OF TIMES A PERSON CAN BE
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County Proposal CRAWFORD COUNTY SEPARATE TAX LIMITATION

Shall separate tax limitations be established for an indefinite period, or until altered by
the voters of the county, for the County of Crawford and the townships and school
districts within the county, the aggregate of which shall not exceed 15.00 mills as follows:

County of Crawford	6.50 mills
Townships	1.00 mills
COOR Intermediate School Dist.	.30 mills
Crawford AuSable School Dist.	7.20 mills
Total	15.00 mills

Frederic Township Proposals

FREDERIC TOWNSHIP PROPOSAL NO. 1

Shall the 15 mill tax limitation on general ad valorem taxes imposed upon real and
tangible personal property for all purposes in one year under the Michigan Constitution
be increased for the Township of Frederic, Crawford County, Michigan, by two (2) mills
(\$2.00 per \$1,000.00 of equalized valuation) for a period of four (4) years from 1993
through 1996 inclusive for the purpose of providing funds for the housing, maintenance,
purchase of equipment and operation of the Frederic Township Fire Department?

FREDERIC TOWNSHIP PROPOSAL NO. 2

Shall the Township of Frederic, Crawford County, Michigan, levy an ad valorem tax of up
to two (2) mills (\$2.00 per \$1,000.00 of equalized valuation) upon all taxable real and
tangible personal property, for a period of four (4) years from 1993 through 1996
inclusive for the purpose of providing funds for the housing, maintenance, purchase of
equipment and operation of the Frederic Township Fire Department?

LOCATION OF REGISTERING TO VOTE:

Florence Nelson, Clerk, Beaver Creek Twp. — At Town Hall 9:00 To 2:00 — 275-8878,
At Home 2:00 to 5:00 — 275-5586

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Mary Mollon, Clerk, South Branch Twp. — At Town Hall — 275-8232

Jerry Morford, Clerk, City of Grayling — In City Office — 348-2131

County receives approval for public housing authority

Crawford County has received approval from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development to administer a Public Housing Authority (PHA).

Authority members had been appointed by the County Board of Commissioners over six months ago, but it has taken this long for HUD to process the application papers. In March of this year the five-member authority elected Don Geiss as its chairperson, Joe Callewaert, vice chair and Art Thayer, secretary-treasurer. Other authority members include Sister Jean Umlor and Bill Borchers.

"Originally we were told it would

take five to six weeks to obtain approval," Geiss said. He noted that all efforts to hasten the approval were frustrated until Congressman Dave Camp's office stepped into the picture. "We contacted the congressman's Midland office and personnel there tracked down the right official to get the final approval," Geiss commented.

Geiss pointed out that some people are under the impression that a Public Housing Authority already exists in the county. He said that the City of Grayling has such an organization and they operate AuSagra Acres. The county has a Housing Commission, he said, but the PHA can obtain funds for large low-cost housing construction projects whereas the Housing Commission's scope of building is more limited.

Authority members have discussed the possibility of low income rent-to-own homes which have been encouraged by HUD. Some members traveled to Kalamazoo to examine their rent-to-own projects numbering 120 homes, Geiss said. "We were favorably impressed," he commented.

There are other options such as multiple rental units, Geiss said, but the direction the authority will take will only be determined after a study of the projects that might be fully funded by the federal government. The authority members will explore all options and present the proposed plans to the County Board of Commissioners for their final approval.

It will be a continuing program, Geiss said, and more than one project may be undertaken "down the road."

BPW plans full year of activities

The Business and Professional Women's Club met for their regular monthly meeting on September 14 at the Holiday Inn. Guests included Paul Lerg, Don Geiss, and Barb Thompson. The meeting followed with a presentation of "Vision 2000" by Paul Lerg. Don Geiss discussed the care of African violets.

BPW has a full year of activities planned, including "Woman of the Year," Christmas baskets, "Carcer Shadowing," "Women in Broadcasting," etc. Future speakers/topics include: Sister Rosemary Mulcahy: Advance Directives, Interpersonal Communication; John Hunter, "Probate and Youth;" and Howard Taylor: "Let My Life Sing."

BPW meets the first Monday of each month; dinner begins at 6 p.m. at the Holiday Inn of Grayling. New members/guests are welcome — contact Jennifer Ojala or Sharon Varisco at 348-6511 for details.

Senior Citizen News

By Jan Farley

Wednesday-30-Italian Round Steak/
Connecticut Ham Supper;
Thursday-1-Chicken ala King/
Kielbasa & Kraut;
Friday-2-Chopped Sirloin;
Monday-5-Stuffed Peppers/Pork
Turnovers;
Tuesday-6-Hot Turkey Sand./Pork
Roast;
Wednesday-7-Meatballs/Ham;
Thursday-8-Brown Steak/Wiener
Schnitzel;
Friday-9-Meatloaf.

Special Dates:

Dance with Tina Kennedy on
Wednesday, September 30 at 5:30 p.m.
Oct. 2-11:30 a.m., Frederic Satellite
Dinner
Oct. 5-Advisory Council at 10 a.m.
Oct. 6-Card Night at 5:30 p.m.
Oct. 8-Foot Clinic, by appointment;
5:30-Dance with Tina Kennedy.
Oct. 9-South Branch Satellite

Dinner.

LOOK AHEAD! Friday, October 23 we will be holding a "Sweatshirt Contest," and there will be prizes for various categories.

Annual hospital auxiliary show set for Oct. 10

The Mercy Hospital/Grayling Auxiliary Annual Arts & Crafts Show and Luncheon will be on Saturday, October 10, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. The show will be held at the Grayling High School.

Admission to the Arts & Crafts Show is free. There will be a homemade luncheon available during the hours of 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. The public is invited to this annual event.

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THURS. 1	•JV FB VS. ALCONA, home, 6:30 pm. •GBB VS. WHITEMORE PRESCOTT, home, 6:15 pm. •LEARNING THROUGH MUSIC Community Education Series, Western MI University "Sousa" @ HS auditorium, 7:30 pm. •AUSABLE RIVER MARATHON meeting @ Mini Mail Race Office, 7 pm. Anyone interested in joining the committee is welcome.
FRI. 2	•VARSITY FB VS. ALCONA, away, 7:30 pm.
SAT. 3	•WOMEN AGLOW MEETING, dinner at 6:30 pm, meeting at 8 pm. Guest speaker Patricia Petrie, at Grayling Holiday Inn. •UNITED WAY AUCTION @ K of C Hall, Silent Auction 6 pm, Live Auction 7pm.
SUN. 4	•NORTHERN MI. SINGLES DANCE @ Grayling Holiday Inn, 7 - 11 pm. All singles 21 & over - cash bar, free snacks, door prizes. Admission \$5. •JR. PRO MEETING @ Holiday Inn board room, 6 pm.
MON. 5	•MS GBB "A" VS. GAYLORD, away, 5 pm. •MS GBB "B" VS. WOLVERINE, home, 6 pm. •FRESH GBB VS. KALKASKA, home, 6:30 pm. •PTO MEETING @ MS cafeteria, 7 pm. •KIWANIS LUNCHEON MEETING @ 12:10 pm, Chief Shoppenagon's Motor Hotel.
TUES. 6	•NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY INDUCTION @ HS auditorium, 7:30 pm. •SOCIAL SECURITY REPRESENTATIVE @ County Building, 10:30 - 2 pm. •GRAYLING PROMOTIONAL Association luncheon meeting, 12 noon, Copper Kettle Restaurant and Lounge.
WED. 7	•FRESH GBB VS. HARRISON, home, 6 pm. •MS GBB "B" VS. CHEBOYGAN, away, 6 pm. •ROTARY LUNCHEON MEETING @ 12 noon, Chief Shoppenagon's Motor Hotel. •WEIGHT WATCHER'S MEETING @ St. Francis Episcopal Church on M-72 West; weigh-in 4:45 pm, meeting 5:30 pm. •COA Phyllis Brummer will be on hand 9-11:30 am to help Seniors with Medicare & Medicaid problems, or call 348-7123.

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GHS class of '62 celebrates 30th reunion

The Grayling High School Class of 1962 held its 30th reunion August 21-23. On Friday evening the members met at the home of Class Advisor and Mrs. Arthur R. Thayer for a social evening of getting reacquainted and reminiscing. Saturday night dinner and dancing was enjoyed at Weatherly's and completed at Thayers with 23 of the class of 59 attending.

Class members from out of town were: Belle (Allison) and Tom Jurkovich from Traverse City; Donnalea (Bailey) Pacek from St. Charles; Ted (and Gladys) Beery from Lindstrom, Minnesota; Linda (Boone) Albertson from Owosso; Charlotte (Hunter) and her sisters Arlene and Phyllis) Sias from Skiatook, Oklahoma; Sherman Neal from Fairfax, Virginia; Cheryl (Pond and Jack) Morley from Bay City; Jean (Portwood) Lindquist from Lexington, Kentucky; Carl (Prange and Jim) Carleton from St. Clair Shores; Gary (and Barbara) Russell from Alexandria, Virginia; Myrna (Skinner) Slaby from Traverse City; Norman (and Mary) Sorenson from Mt. Pleasant; Kay (Thompson and Ron) Earick from Rochester; Jerry Wert (and Debbie Brooks) from Jackson and Pamela (Beutler) Cribbs from Laingsburg. Attending from Grayling were: Karen (Atkinson and Carl) Goltick, Larry (and Carole) Gust, Charlene (Holtcamp and Larry) Ostrowski, Larry (and Gail) Hunter, Bob Hale, Pauline (Millikin) Hatfield, Carol and Lacey Stephan and Arthur and Mary Jane Thayer. Two members of the class, Elaine Bancroft and Mark Sheehy, are deceased. Mrs. Evelyn Klein, English teacher and Librarian visited with the group Friday night.

On Saturday afternoon many of the group gathered at Dawson's and then enjoyed a tour through the Middle School building that many of them attended from kindergarten to graduation.

Linda Boone Albertson and Norman Sorenson were this year's planning committee. Named to plan the 35 year reunion in 1997 were Charlotte Hunter, Sherman Neal, Ted Beery, and Gary Russell.

Cards of thanks

We would like to thank all the fire departments from the different areas for their response to the fire at Chaparral Ranch.

Don and Alice Cragg



30TH REUNION—The GHS class of 1962: standing, left to right, Pauline (Millikin) Hatfield, Gary Russell, Linda (Boone) Albertson, Jean (Portwood) Lindquist, Cheryl (Pond) Morley, Larry Gust, Carol (Millikin) Stephan, Collin "Tom" Jurkovich, Lacey Stephan, Ted Beery, Larry Hunter, Jerry Wert, Norman Sorenson, Sherman Neal, Art Thayer. Seated, left to right, Pam (Beutler) Cribbs, Myrna (Skinner) Slaby, Charlene (Holtcamp) Ostrowski, Kay (Thompson) Earick, Charlotte (Hunter) Sias, Donnalea (Bailey) Pacek, Belle (Allison) Jurkovich, Carol (Prange) Carleton.

Local residents attend GHS 50th reunion

On July 18, 1992, the 1942 class of Gerrish Higgins High School gathered at Marjorie (Sisco) Roper's home on the AuSable for punch and hors d'oeuvres to reminisce high school days. Everyone enjoyed pictures and school newspapers of the "good old days."

Later in the evening they had a dinner at the Iron Gate in Grayling. The table was decorated through the generosity of Jean (Fowler) Feldhauser with lovely silk flowers in red, white, and blue, the class colors. Harold Scott received a surprise from "friends," his favorite, a McDonald hamburger.

Jean (Rutledge) Weller came the greatest distance from Scotts Valley, California. Clifford Parker and his wife Margaret from Munith; Harold Scott and his wife, Eleanor from Roscommon; Sheba (Aubrey) Haight and her husband Earl, a former teacher and coach from Higgins Lake; Erna (Clark) Putnam from Roscommon; Jean (Fowler) Feldhauser, Marjorie (Sisco) Roper and Martha (Jenson) Austin all from Grayling.

Each member of the class received a composite made by Sheba Haight of different class members since high school to the present day.

Shirley (Kiely) French and Norval Hartman were unable to attend.

Partello honored for GTE service

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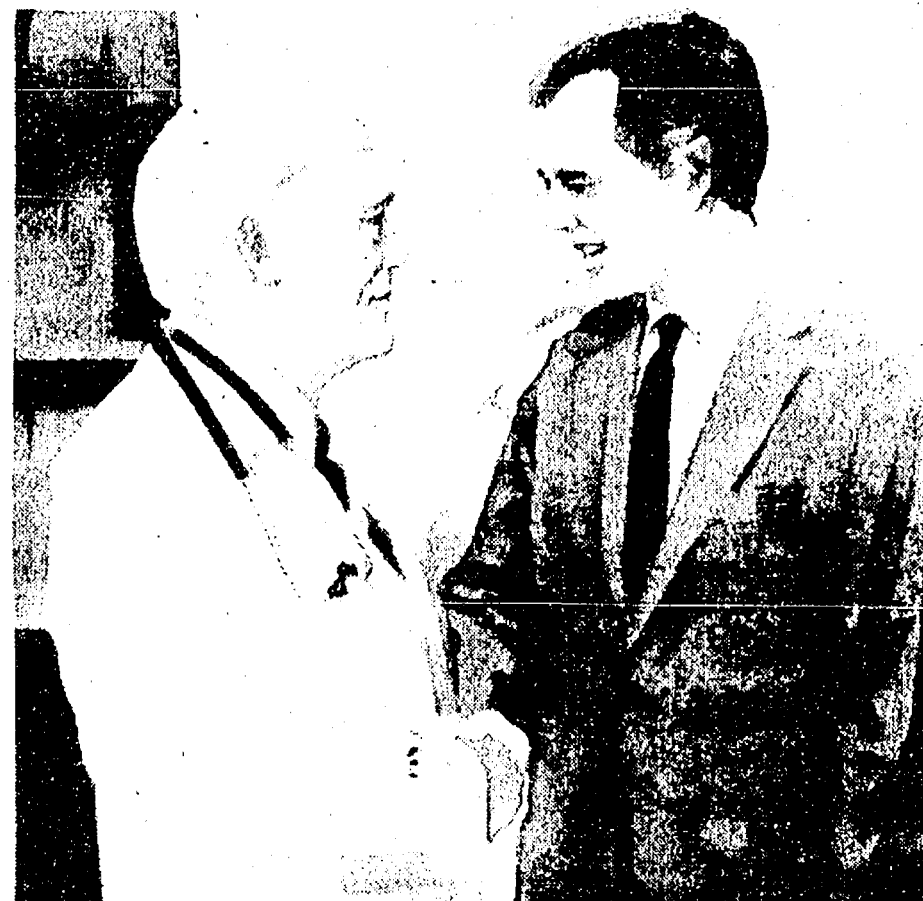
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Obituaries

Richard Mead

Richard A. Mead, 43, of Grayling, died Sunday, September 27, 1992, at Northern Michigan Hospital in Petoskey. Funeral Services will be held Wednesday, September 30, 1992, at 11 a.m., at Sorenson Funeral Home, McEvers Chapel, with Reverend Bernard W. Griner officiating. Burial will be in Elmwood Cemetery in Grayling.

Mr. Mead was born September 17, 1949, in Cadillac. He and his wife, Lois, moved to Grayling ten years ago from Cadillac and they owned and operated Golden Rule Printing in Grayling and Rick's Photo Service at Merritt Speedway.

Survivors include: wife, Lois A. (Crispell) Mead; daughter, Lynette Mead, at home; son, Karl Mead and fiancée, Carol Peffer; parents, Gene and Jean Mead of Vogel Center; sisters, Karla and Michael Labbe of Cadillac and Alice and Donald Crispell of Merritt; brother, Harry and Janine Mead of Grayling; grandmother, Beulah Armstead of Cadillac; and granddaughter, Chelsea Jane Mead.

Kenneth Gothro

Kenneth H. Gothro, 77, of Grayling, died Tuesday, September 22, 1992, at Mercy Hospital in Grayling. Funeral services were held Friday, September 25, 1992, at Michelson Memorial United Methodist Church, with Dr. Dennis Paulson officiating. Burial was in Elmwood Cemetery. Arrangements were made by Sorenson Funeral Home, McEvers Chapel.

Pallbearers were Kerry Ferguson, Michael Ferguson, Aubrey Welch, Robert Clayton, Scott Hanson, and Justin Potter. Honorary Pallbearers were Richard DuBois, William Joseph, Col. Harold Clingensmith, Dr. Vernon Blaha, Dr. Robert Schwarz, Gerald Herrick, and Melvin Neilson.

Mr. Gothro was born August 27, 1915, in Grayling. He and his wife, Mabel, moved back to Grayling 18 years ago from Lansing. He was a retired supervisor for General Motors, Oldsmobile Division. Prior to moving to Lansing, he had been a long-time resident of Grayling. He was a member of Michelson Memorial United Methodist Church, the Grayling Coun-

try Club, Grayling Youth Boosters, and the Elks Lodge in Houghton Lake. He was preceded in death by his parents, Herbert and Amy (Hennigar) Gothro.

Survivors include: wife, Mabel (Ferguson) Gothro; sons, Geoffrey Gothro of Minneapolis, Minnesota, Gerald Gothro of Lansing, and Gregory Gothro of Grayling; and nine grandchildren.

The family suggests Memorial gifts to the Michelson Memorial United Methodist Church.

Adelene Kuebler

Adelene Kuebler, 91, of Higgins Lake, died Saturday, September 26, 1992, at Mercy Manor in Grayling. Funeral services were held Tuesday, September 29, 1992, at Sorenson Funeral Home, McEvers Chapel, with Dr. Dennis Paulson officiating. Burial was in Oakwood Cemetery in Lyon Township.

Mrs. Kuebler was born October 21, 1900, in Port Huron. Her first husband, Byron Shell, preceded her in death in 1929. On March 7, 1964, in Skeels, she married Allen R. Kuebler, who preceded her in death in 1976. She was also preceded in death by twin sons, Gordon and Harold, and her parents, Rueben and Emma (Neuman) Coffell.

Survivors include: daughters, Genevieve Munger of Flint and Florence Kirkpatrick of Higgins Lake; niece, Jeannette Adams of Oscoda; grandchildren, Darla Ridley, Donald Ridley, NorJean Ott, and Anthony Shell; and five great-grandchildren.

Norma Higgins

Norma Lorraine Higgins, 69, of Grayling, died Thursday, September 24, 1992, at Munson Medical Center in Traverse City. A Mass of Christian Burial was held September 28, 1992, at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Grayling, with Reverend John McCracken officiating. Burial was in Elmwood Cemetery. Arrangements were made by Sorenson Funeral Home, McEvers Chapel.

Pallbearers were Tom Kolka, Greg Kolka, Scott Kolka, Ted Kolka, Jeremy Austin, and Ken McCarry.

Mrs. Higgins was born March 21, 1923, in Grayling. She was a machine operator for Federal Mogul in Romulus before retiring, and she moved to Grayling four years ago from Livonia. She was preceded in death by her parents, Joe and B. Cleo (Purvis) Kolka.

Survivors include: daughter, Corliss Sue Krokosky of Howell; sons, Walter Lee Turbin of Howell and Michael D. Higgins of Canton Township; brothers, Pat Kolka of Roscommon, Alvin Kolka of Bay City, James Kolka of Grayling, and Jack Kolka of Pinconning; sisters, Maxine Papendick of Clio, Shirley Devine of St. Clair Shores, and Jacqueline Worden, Dorothy Denton, and Delores Leslie, all of Grayling; six grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Card of thanks

Thanks to my relatives and friends for your prayers, visits, cards, flowers, gifts, and phone calls while I was in the hospital in Petoskey. My family and I appreciate your thoughtfulness.

Jack Millikin

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which will allow room for an additional security cell, visitation area, and kitchen, all within control of the central command area. Project leader Jerry Chase said that the revised plans will run about \$35,000 more and that he is still considering financial alternatives to deal with these new figures. The commissioners voted to send the revised plans on to the state department of corrections for approval.

COA DIRECTOR RESIGNS

After approving funding for the airport, the county board heard from Commission on Aging director Irene Pettyjohn, who read a formal letter of resignation to the commissioners. In her letter she indicated that the stress of the position had taken a toll on her health. She spoke of her accomplishments as director of the Commission on Aging and cited the recent passage of the permanent C.O.A. millage as one example of her successful efforts to insure the comfort of Crawford County's senior population.

She suggested that commissioners establish criteria for selecting members of the Commission on Aging's board of directors and spoke briefly about problems on the board. Pettyjohn mentioned board meetings held at uncomfortable intervals and board interference in staff relationships as specific problems the commissioners could address by establishing criteria for appointment to the commission's board of directors.

Pettyjohn's resignation came just after the commissioners had approved a resolution commending her performance as director, specifically citing her early return to work after major health problems had required a leave of absence. Riley spoke for board, saying that he had long been aware of Pettyjohn's contributions to Crawford County's senior population. Riley also informed Pettyjohn that the board had agreed to adopt the resolution prior to being made aware that she was considering resigning her position.



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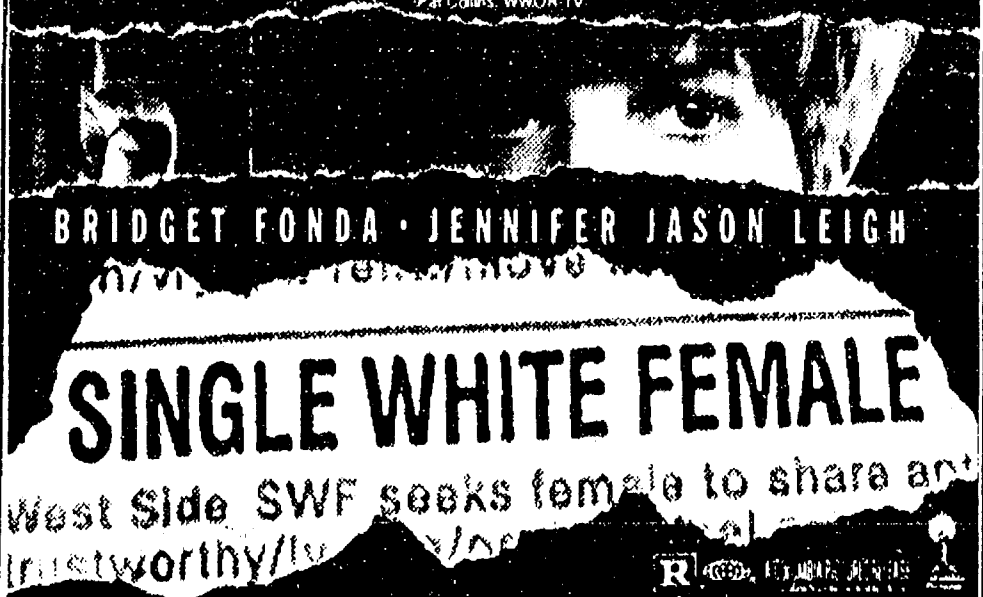
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Evidence of insurance must accompany all bids.

Snowplowing specifications can be obtained at the Township Hall between the hours of 9:00 am and 3:00 pm on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays.

The Lovells Township Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to award the bid to other than low bidders, and in general to make the award in any manner deemed by it, in its sole discretion, to be in the best interest of Lovells Township.

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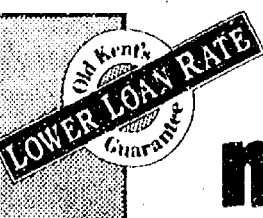
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Hodder seeks sheriff job

Jerry Hodder, 58, a Crawford County Deputy Sheriff with the Crawford County Sheriff Reserve Division enters the General Election as the Democratic Candidate for the Office of Crawford County Sheriff.

Hodder, who has never held public office, spent three years in the US Marine Corp during the Korea Conflict in 1952 and was sent to Korea with the 1st Marine Division. He spent the next fourteen months handling prisoners of war at the front. Hodder also served one year as a military M.P. in San Juan, Puerto Rico, and one year military M.P. at Cherry Pt. Marine Air Base in North Carolina.

Hodder spent many years as a firefighter for Camp Grayling Base Fire Dept. as well as full time Crash Rescue Fireman at the Army Grayling air field.

Hodder is retired from the Army National Guard. His last duty unit he served with was the 1439th firefighters where he received his firefighters badge. Hodder is also close to finishing his flight training as a licensed fixed wing pilot.

Jerry Hodder's goals for the Sheriff Dept. include to strive to evaluate, develop, and update programs for our senior citizens, also to actively pursue millage increases for senior citizens.

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Expansion of jail cell facilities to eliminate cost of housing prisoners in other county jails when overcrowding occurs thereby generating an income for Crawford County by housing prisoners from surrounding counties.

Hodder is a member of St. Mary's Church in Grayling, a member of the Kiwanis Club of Grayling, member Grayling Sportsmen's Gun Club, and Trap Shooters Association. Parade field drill instructor, Boy Scout at Camp Grayling; Toys for Tots organizer, US Marine Corp. Member American Legion, member Chamber of Commerce.



Hodder vows that if he is elected to the office of Crawford County Sheriff he will strive to meet the needs and expectations of the people of Crawford County.

pd. adv.

Obituaries

Hilde Miller

Hilde I. Miller, 66, of Grayling, died Friday, September 18, 1992, at Munson Medical center in Traverse City. Arrangements were made by Steuernol & McLaren Funeral Home in Roscommon.

Mrs. Miller was born August 23, 1926, in Germany and moved to Grayling 40 years ago. She spent her summers in Grayling and winters in Florida. She was a homemaker and a member of VFW Auxiliary. She was preceded in death by her husband, Herman J. Miller in 1972.

Survivors include: sons, Kevon of Grayling and Herman of Mt. Pleasant; daughters, Vicky Lynn Thompson of Roscommon and Nancy Lynn Austin of Oldtown, Florida; two grandchildren; brother, Horst Schimkowsky of Germany; and a dear friend, Millard Pitts of Roscommon.

Floyd Wylie

Floyd D. "Scotty" Wylie, 73, a former Grayling and Ionia resident, passed away on Wednesday, September 9, 1992, in Orlando, Florida. He was a former owner and administrator of Ionia Manor for 35 years. He served in the U.S. Navy during WWII.

He is survived by his wife, Marguerite "Ione" Wylie of Orlando; his sons and their wives, James and Patricia Wylie of Kentwood, John and Cheryl of Orlando, Robert and Rose Wylie of Rockford and David Wylie of Orlando; six grandchildren, one great-grandchild; his sister, Mrs. Ada Skinner of Lowell and brother, Henry Wylie of Canada.

A Memorial Service was held on Monday evening at 7 p.m. at the funeral home, with Rev. Fr. John Porter and Bishop Richter, Council of Knights of Columbus, officiating. Entombment took place in Graceland Memorial Park.

Secretary of State office closing Tuesday a.m.

The Grayling Secretary of State branch office located 2384C I-75 Business Loop will be closing the morning of Tuesday, October 6. During that time, branch office employees will participate in an in-service training program required for their on-going operations. The office will reopen at 1 p.m.

On the morning the branch office is closed, service will be available at Secretary of State branch offices in Gaylord, 829 W. Main, and Roscommon, 110 Union St.

Bits Of Talk

By Fay Bovee

Bob and Jackie Ruddy have returned from a vacation which they spent with their son, Michael and wife, Debbie, on Michael's sailboat on Lake Erie. Some of the places they stopped were at Buffalo, Sandusky, and Pelee Island.

Mrs. J. F. Cook of Del Ray Beach, Florida, has been a visitor at the home of Mrs. A. J. Sorenson for a few days. She was a former Grayling kindergarten teacher and resident for many years.

St. Mary's Catholic Women's Club will be holding their Annual Christmas Bazaar on Friday, November 13, at the Family Center from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Luncheon will be served from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. There will be a bake sale, a white elephant sale, kid's corner, arts and crafts, a silent auction, and a drawing, both for children and adults.

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A Request for Proposal will be reviewed at the office of the Circuit Court Clerk and is to be used to provide interested parties with sufficient information to enable them to prepare and submit bids for a contract award.

The County reserves the right to consider proposals or modifications received at any time before award is made, if such action is in the best interest of the County. The County also reserves the right to reject any and all proposals received as a result of this RFP, or to negotiate separately with any source whatsoever in any manner necessary to serve the best interests of the County. The County does not intend to award a contract solely on the basis of any response made to this request or otherwise pay for the information solicited or obtained.

Inquiries which require a written response must be received before October 2, 1992. Proposals must be submitted in six copies no later than 3:00 pm EDT on October 12, 1992 to:

Elizabeth Wieland
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Banned book week looks at censorship in America

Did you know *Adventures of Huckleberry Finn*, *Brave New World*, *Diary of Ann Frank*, *Hamlet*, *Satanic Verses*, and *Valley of the Horses* all have at least one thing in common? They are all books that have been

challenged or banned.

Jean Auel, Edgar Rice Burroughs, William Faulkner, Stephen King, William Shakespeare, Walt Whitman, and F. Scott Fitzgerald are all authors to have had their works challenged or banned.

September 26-October 3 is banned book week. The theme, cosponsored by American Library Association, American Booksellers Association, The American Society of Journalists and Authors, The Association of American Publishers and National Association of College Stores, is "Censorship: Old Sins In New Worlds."

Books available on banned books and censorship through the Crawford County Library include *Bookbanning In America* by William Noble, *Censored by Opposing Viewpoints*, *Banned!* by Donald J. Rogers, *American Voices* by Philip Morris, and *50 Ways To Fight Censorship* by Dave Marsh.

Banned books week celebrates the first amendment that states, "Congress shall make no laws abridging the freedom of speech or of the press."

Frederic church hosts a Ladies' Night Out

The First Baptist Church of Frederic will host a Ladies Night Out Saturday, October 3, at 6:30 p.m. Walter and Lois Gomez, of Mexican Mission Ministries, will be the featured program. A gourmet salad bar will start the evening. For more information call 348-8126.

Frontier Frenzy starts Oct. 4 in Frederic

The First Baptist Church of Frederic's annual Sunday school contest, Frontier Frenzy, will start October 4th. Dead Eye Alma of the Crazy "C" Ranch, Muchacha Mertes of Manana Hacienda, and Lefty Wright and the Parson Gang are the three teams. Oct. 4 will be Round Up Sunday, Oct. 11 will be Howdie Partner Sunday, Oct. 18 will be Hat & Bonnet Sunday, and Oct. 25 will be Texas Style Sunday.

Market Place scheduled for October 9th

The "Market Place" bazaar will be held on Friday, October 9, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Michelson Memorial United Methodist Church.

Booths will feature arts and crafts, baked goods, candy, attic treasures, and African violets.

A turkey strata luncheon will be served from 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. Price is \$4. No reservations necessary for lunch.

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Creditors of the decedent are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to the independent personal representative, GRACE DOPP WEGNER, PO Box 708, Grayling, Michigan, 49738, or to both the independent personal representative and the Crawford County Probate Court, Grayling, Michigan, 49738, within 4 months of the date of publication of this notice. Notice is further given that the estate will be thereafter assigned and distributed to the persons entitled to it. GRACE DOPP WEGNER P22091 PO Box 708 Grayling, Michigan 49738 (517) 348-6141

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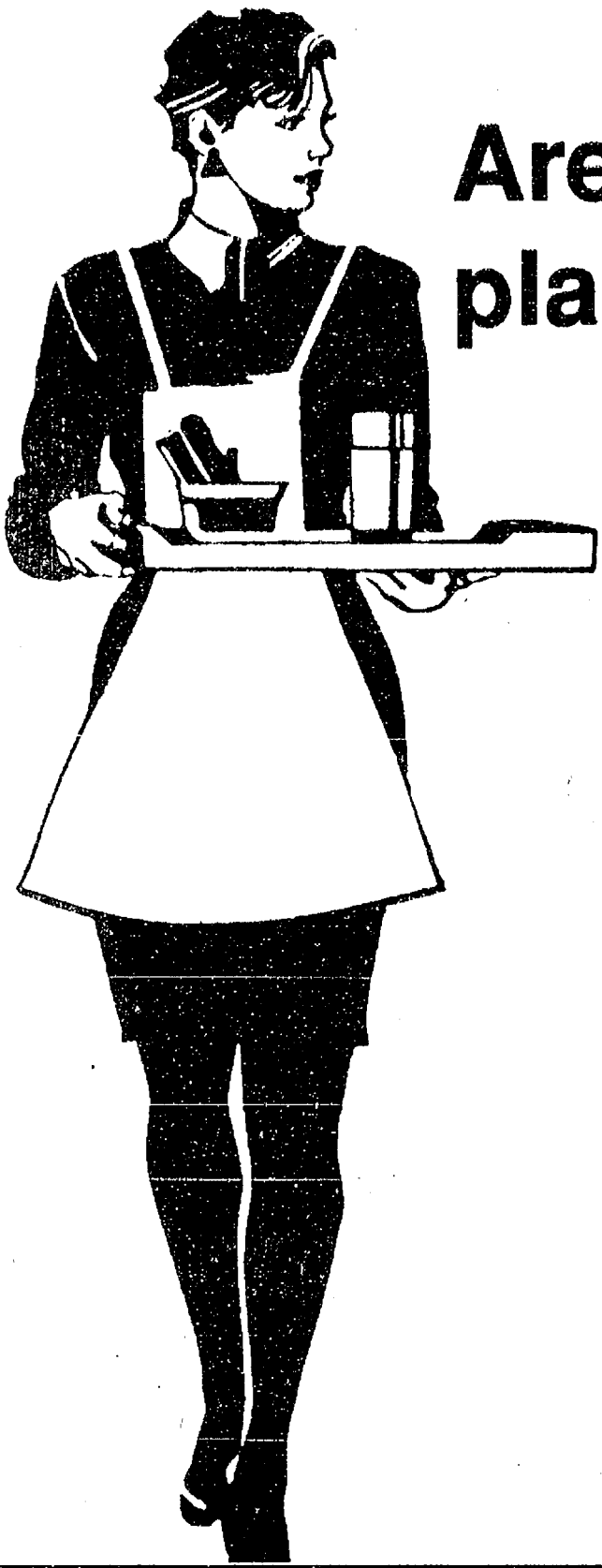
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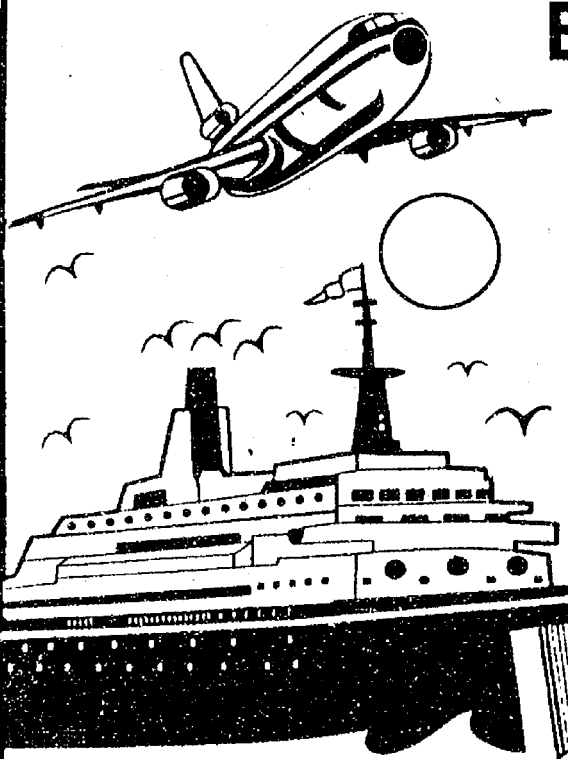
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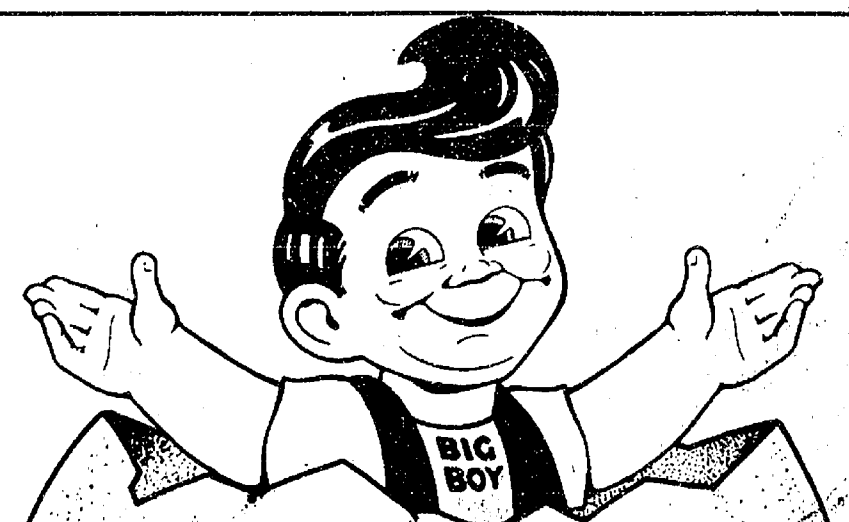
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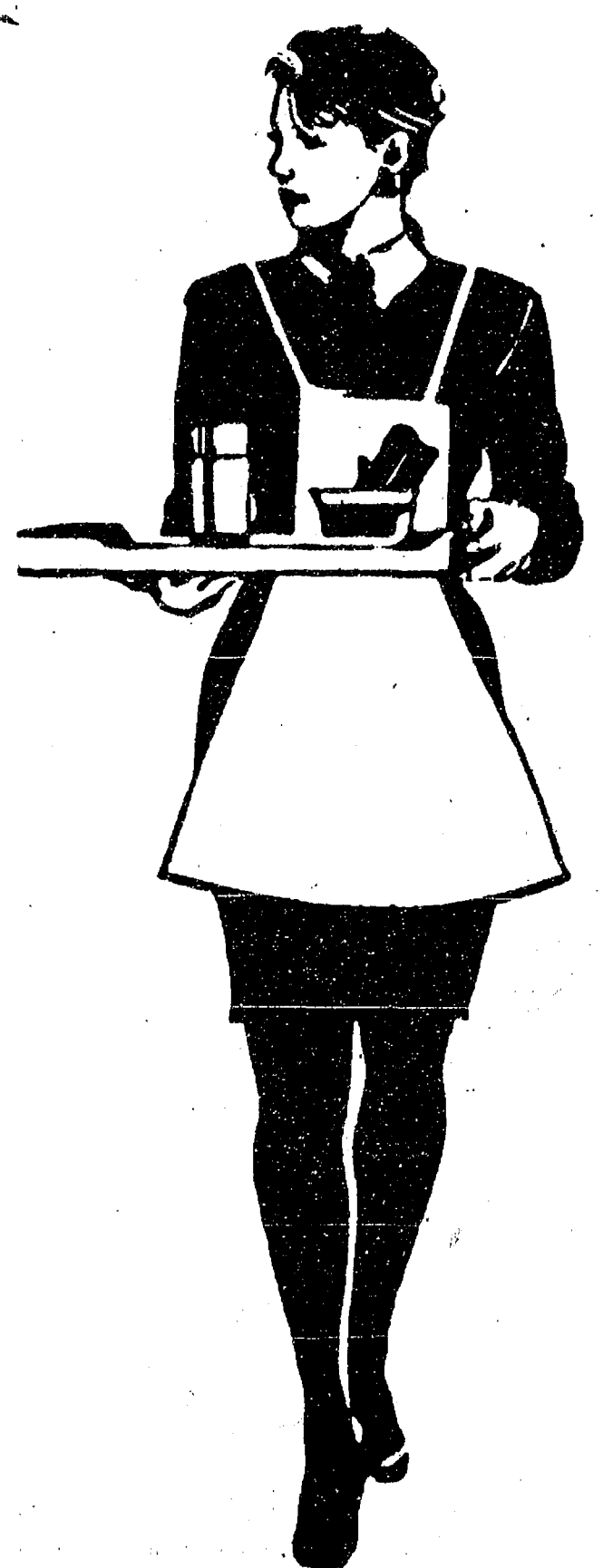
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School Page

Grayling Middle School

Hangin' Out

Katy Fritz
seventh grade

I hang out in an unusual place. You'll never guess where in a million years. The mall you say? No! No! Not the pizza parlor either. I hang out in a book!

You sound surprised! Why? There is no better place to hang out.

When you're hangin' out in a book you can do lots of things. You could ride a buckin' bronco or solve a mystery with Nancy Drew.

I think you should try hangin' out in a book. You just might enjoy it as much as I do!

The Soldier

by Ryan Jozsa
8th grade

As the man walked through the long skinny land of forest, he moved slowly looking for death and hearing nothing but the dead sound of darkness. As he laid his heavy pack and rifle, he was almost invisible in the wet forest of brush with the color of blackness and shades of green.

He laid prone hidden from his enemies of striking pain. The soldier laid waiting for darkness to over come him. Waiting for the kill, the ambush of foe. With a bullet in his chamber he fired a round to the head of foe. Knowing he must fight the last. As lights sped through the forest tearing the trees as if a piece of paper with water spitting out.

As a round tore through the soldier's arm he felt the warmth of his own blood running down and dripping to his leg. He made no movement in spite of his pain. He heard the noise of his foe. Knowing it could be fatal or survival.

A shot went off piercing flesh and shattering bone of his foe. The enemy dropped like the sound of a heavy bomb. And as the soldier flew out he thought of how it could have happened to him like the two casualties next to him now on his flight home.

G.M.S. students have been talking about how the good stuffs in the middle — that is the Grayling Middle School. The following are examples of what students feel is good at their middle school.

Ike Isenhauer

The Good Stuffs In The Middle (School)

What's the good stuff in the middle school? Computers is the good stuff in the middle. I like computers because you can play games and learn how to type fast. It's like gym, but better. A lot of people in the middle school like computers. The teacher is awesome; his name is Mr. Ingvarsson. That's the good stuff in the Middle School.

What's Good In The Middle (School)
Chris Floriano

The middle school is really cool because there is no homework, no teachers, and no rules. Well, not really! We do have homework, teachers, and lots of rules. But that's ok, because we have a pop machine, lots of computers, a snack bar, dances, and lots of cool classes. To name a few I could say Shop, Art, Home Ec., and more. We also have cool clocks, so if you're quickly walking (not running) down the hall, you don't have to stop and stare at the wall. All you have to do is look up and wham, you run into someone, but you also know what time it is. That's why I like Grayling Middle School.

Tim Wildfong

What's Good In The Middle (School)

What's good in the Middle School? A lot of people say nothing's good in the Middle School, but I think there are some good things in the Middle School like having sports. Some schools don't have any sports, but G.M.S. does. We also have a pop machine, and lots of schools don't

even have a pop machine. Some schools don't even have a computer for the students' use, but G.M.S. does. So are you getting my point? G.M.S. has a lot of good stuff in the middle if you just realized it!

Ramanda Steiger

The Good Stuffs in the Middle (School)

Block classes are one of the best parts of the middle school, because if you just had plain old classes your day would be quite boring. If school is boring, no one would want to be here, and then the teachers would be out of a job. Block classes are one of the good things in the middle school.

Kristy Irish

What's Good In The Middle (School)

The best art classes are in the middle school. You can explore your mind. Before in grade school you didn't know what art was all about, what it was for and how to appreciate it. Now most of us do. In high school the pressure doesn't let you use all your creativity. But in middle school art you can let your imagination run wild!

Becky Watts

What's Good In the Middle (School)

When I was asked what was good in the middle school I thought it was Spirit Week. Spirit Week takes place about the beginning of March. It shakes off those bad winter blues. Spirit Week has dress-ups, pie throwing, and just plain fun. Oh, most everyone takes part in Spirit Week. That's what's good in the middle school.

Ben Sawade

The Good Stuffs In The Middle (School)

I think the B-B-Qs are the good stuff in the middle school. Everyone likes them. They give people a break from their classes. It is a good thing we have B-B-Qs in the middle school.



DIGGING IN--It didn't take GHS students and staff members long to shorten the 126-foot sub sandwich made by Subway of Grayling. The sandwich, donated by Subway, fed more than 650 people.



GIANT SUB BUILDERS--Carl Naghtin, GHS principal, (left) stands with the Subway crew who put together a 126-foot sub sandwich for student appreciation day at the high school. The Subway crew of Roy and Laurie McDaniel, owners, Harry and Denise Smith, managers, and Jillian Poll, Kimberly Johnson, and Charles Pettis took 18 hours to bake the 500 loaves of bread for the long sandwich. It took 1 1/2 hours to set up the sub, which had 20 pounds of cheese, 70 pounds of lettuce, 60 pounds of tomatoes, 76 pounds of meat, 15 pounds of onions, 15 pounds of green peppers and 5000 pickle slices between the bread. Subway donated the sub sandwich to help reward high school students for a smooth opening of school this year. (Linda Wright photos)

AAA provides safety tips to get students to school

Besides reading, 'riting and 'rithmetic, there are three safety lessons students should master now that school is opening: Call them the three "dos."

AAA Michigan advises:

- Do cross at intersections after checking traffic.
- Do wait in an orderly and safe location at school bus stops.

•Do wear safety belts regardless of how far you ride to school.

"During the last five years, more than 200 Michigan school-age pedestrians have been killed and 7,500

injured — most accidents occurring when youngsters dart into the path of oncoming traffic," said AAA Michigan Community Safety Services Manager Jerry Basch.

"Usually, intersections are much safer, especially those monitored by the more than 40,000 safety patrolers who guard more than 20,000 crossing locations statewide," he added.

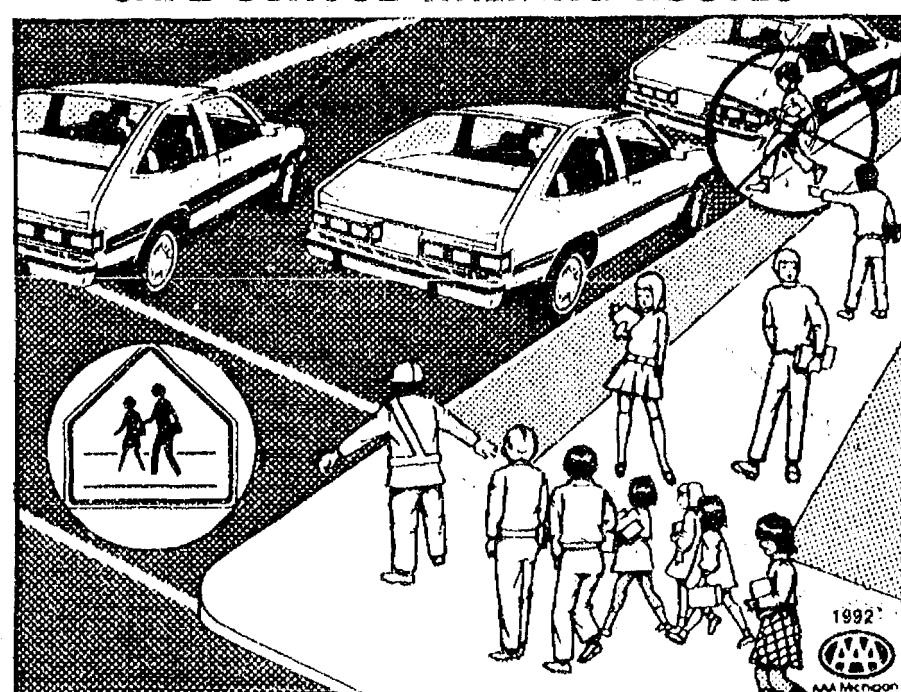
Basch emphasized that children must always watch for turning cars and look in all directions before crossing streets to and from school. He recommends parents accompany beginning students to school or the bus stop for at least the first few days.

Equally troublesome are the line-pushers who don't wait for the school bus in a safe manner.

Other safety tips include: when crossing a street at a bus stop, look in every direction and stay away from the "danger zone," a 10-foot area around the bus where the driver may not see youngsters.

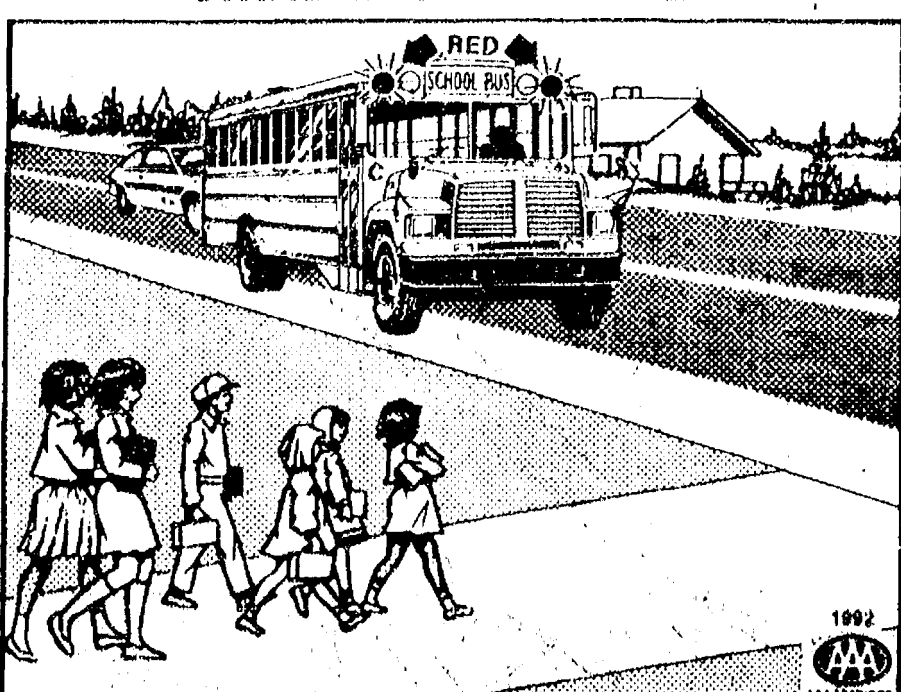
Students should always buckle up when their parents drive them to and from school.

SAFE SCHOOL WALKING ROUTES



More than 200 Michigan school-age pedestrians have been killed and 7,500 injured during the last five years. Most injuries occur when youngsters dart into the path of oncoming traffic. AAA Michigan advises students to follow the safest route to school, cross only at intersections and obey safety patrolers.

STAND BACK FOR SAFETY



As the new school year gets underway, AAA Michigan urges the more than 1 million Michigan youngsters who ride school buses to always wait for the bus at a safe spot well back from the road. Traffic in both directions must stop when the bus is stopped and overhead red lights are flashing.

Western Michigan University Orchestra performing at GHS Thursday, Oct. 1

On Thursday evening, October 1, the Western Michigan University Symphonic will kick off the 1992-1993 Crawford AuSable Community Education Concert Series with a salute to John Phillip Sousa.

The Western Michigan Orchestra under the direction of Jeffrey Renshaw will present a re-creation of a concert in the fashion that John Phillip Sousa would have performed at the turn of the century. The concert, which will feature a variety of musical selections including the "Pirate of Penzance," will begin at 7:30 p.m. in the Joseph Stripe Auditorium at Grayling High School.

Tickets for this performance are \$4 each; \$3.50 for senior citizens; and \$3 for students. Season tickets at \$24 for the eight-concert series are still available and may be purchased in advance or at the door.

For advance ticket information,

please call the Community Education Office at 348-7641 evenings, Monday through Thursdays. The Cultural Events series is made possible with the support of following area businesses and corporations: Grayling

Hospital for Animals, Chemical Bank North, Fick & Sons, Inc., Grayling Holiday Inn, Grayling Mercy Hospital, GSB, Hospitality House, Mac's Drug Store, Scheer Motors, Inc., and Weyerhaeuser Company.

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Grayling High Students, Staff, and Administration

PTO meeting October 5th

The Crawford AuSable Parent-Teacher Organization will meet Monday, October 5, at 7 p.m. at the Grayling Middle School.

R. J. Hannan will explain the community education, travel and adventure, Learning through Music and work-place literacy programs. The public is invited.

Vikings' comeback knocks off Charlevoix 28-22

By Nancy Lemmen

The Grayling High School varsity football team upped its season record to 4-0 with its 28-22 closing minutes' victory over Charlevoix last Friday. Before meeting the Vikings, the Red Raiders were undefeated and ranked 8th in the state in Class C by one poll.

Grayling's first possession was a five-play 50-yard drive, ending in a two-yard touchdown run by senior halfback Gary Schroyer. The excellent field position was set up by a 43-yard kick-off return by senior halfback Jason Brigham, said Coach Dave Larkin. The extra-point kick by senior Jan Karlsvik was good to make the score 7-0.

Charlevoix had moved the ball from its own 26-yard line to the Grayling 18-yard line on its first possession when junior linebacker Brent Kernstock forced a fumble that was recovered by senior defensive end Jason Medler.

Grayling then drove the ball from its own 19-yard line to the Charlevoix 15. On fourth down and two, the Vikings fell just inches short of a first down.

Charlevoix's next possession began on their own 13. They drove to the Grayling 35, where they fumbled a hand-off that was recovered by senior defensive end Jason Neeley.

Charlevoix's third possession, in the second quarter, included several key plays by Grayling. The Red Raiders started on their own 37 and drove to the Grayling 10. On second down and six, a pass thrown into the end zone was jarred loose by junior safety Chris Wolcott. On the very next play, Charlevoix threw another pass that was broken up by junior cornerback Sean Witucki. On third down, another pass attempt was intercepted by senior linebacker Steve Branch on the six-yard line and returned to the Grayling 47.

On Grayling's next series, senior quarterback Mike Kirmo's pass was intercepted and returned to the Grayling 45-yard line, setting up Charlevoix's first score. The Raiders

ended up scoring on a five-yard run. The extra-point kick was good to make the score 7-7 with two minutes to go in the half.

On the next series, Kirmo was intercepted again, with the Red Raiders running back 70 yards for a TD. The two-point conversion pass was good to take the score to 7-15 with 50 seconds remaining in the half.

With a first down and the ball on the 32-yard line, Kirmo threw a 68-yard TD pass to Schroyer. The two-point conversion run was no good, so the score went to 13-15 with 13 seconds to go in the second quarter.

In the third quarter, Charlevoix's first possession was a 77-yard drive, ending in a 20-yard TD run. The extra-point kick was good, to make the score 13-22 with 7:18 remaining in the period.

Grayling answered with a 66-yard three-play TD drive itself. The score came on a 43-yard run by Schroyer. The extra-point kick by Karlsvik was good and the score went to 20-22 with 5:45 left in the quarter.

After exchanging punts with Grayling, Charlevoix was faced with third down and 20 from the Grayling 24-yard line. On a reverse pass into the end zone, the ball was tipped by senior cornerback Mike Spencer and intercepted by Wolcott in the end zone.

After three plays, however, Grayling was forced to punt.

Charlevoix was faced with third and 12 from the Grayling 48 when Branch made his second interception of the game, a move that led to Grayling's game-winning touchdown.

The Vikings, with the ball on third and six from the 18-yard line, had an 18-yard TD run by Schroyer. The two-point conversion pass from Kirmo to senior halfback Mitch McMillan was good, to make score 28-22 with 2:29 to go in the game.

Charlevoix began with the ball on its own 28-yard line and drove all the way to the Grayling 18 with 22 seconds remaining, when Wolcott intercepted a Red Raider pass to preserve the win.

STATISTICS

Schroyer had 20 carries for 256 yards and three touchdowns. He also caught

two passes for 78 yards, one a 68-yard TD catch.

Brigham had three carries for 27 yards before being taken to the hospital with a minor ankle injury.

Kirmo had five pass completions in eight attempts for 102 yards and one TD.

Wolcott made two catches for 21 yards.

McMillan caught one two-point conversion pass for three yards.

For the fourth straight game, Branch was the leading tackler, this time with 21.

Schroyer had 14 tackles; Wolcott, 12; McMillan, nine; and Neeley, eight.

The "Big Stick" Award went to Neeley.

COACH'S COMMENTS

There were some outstanding defensive plays in addition to Branch's and Wolcott's, said Larkin. Excellent play was also turned in by Schroyer, McMillan and Neeley.

"(Senior punter) Matt Cragg did an excellent job punting. His first was a 60-yard punt and his second, 48 yards, which is a fantastic average for a high school punter."

"Charlevoix's first two touchdowns were the direct result of interceptions. Had we not thrown interceptions, they might not have scored. Otherwise, our defense held."

"Also, being down at halftime by two points, we didn't panic, because we felt we could play better, and I knew the kids would come out and play well the second half. I told the players if we didn't make mistakes, that we should win the game. We were confident what we could do coming out in the second half."

"I thought Mike Kirmo showed a lot of poise. After getting an interception run back for 70 yards for Charlevoix's second score, most guys would have given up. Mike came back on the very next play and threw a 68-yard touchdown pass to Gary Schroyer."

"I can't say enough good things about Gary Schroyer's performance," continued Larkin. "It was outstanding. When the game was on the line and we had to come from behind on the game-winning touchdown drive, Gary

Grayling remains undefeated at 4-0



INTERCEPTION RETURN--Steve Branch picked off a Charlevoix pass at the Viking six-yard line and returned it to the Grayling 47. (Nancy Lemmen photo)

carried the ball five times straight, including the 18-yard touchdown run. We moved him from right to left halfback on that particular play so he could run on the wide side of the field. I was extremely proud of his leadership and determination the entire game, but especially that last drive. I've never coached a young man who had the combination of talent and determination that Gary Schroyer has."

"After the game, I was very choked up. It was a very emotional win. I told the kids how very proud I was of them. It's very difficult to come from behind like we did and I'm very proud of the character they showed. They know they can come back from any adversity."

NEXT WEEK

The Vikings go to Lincoln-Alcona on Friday, October 2, for a 7:30 p.m. game. Alcona is 2-2 overall and 2-0 in conference, as is Grayling.

"So this is an important game for us," said Larkin. "If we expect to stay in the conference race, we obviously have to win this game. The winner will have sole possession of 1st place."

"They have a very strong running

game, and last year we only beat them by four points, 20-16, at our place; but they moved the ball very well. So we're going to have to shore up our defense this week."

"It seems like we have one big game

after another," said Larkin. "There's no breather in there anywhere. It's like one big test week after week. But I'm very confident in the abilities of our players. I think we'll go over there and have a good game."

JVs put up big numbers in 48-16 win

The Grayling High School junior varsity football team chalked up a big 48-16 win over Charlevoix on September 24.

"It was an excellent performance by the Viking offense, which scored four times in the first half and had one touchdown called back," said Coach Chuck Spencer. "There were very few penalties or turnovers to hamper the team's performance."

"We moved the ball consistently and our offense played most of the game," said Coach Fred Wolcott. "We were pleased with the number of yards our offense accumulated."

"Many of our younger players made a fine contribution to our victory," said Spencer.

Mike Johnson and Jason Secord at tackles; and (sophomore) Mike Joseph at center.

"I was very pleased because Grayling's defense played well, including two pass interceptions returned for touchdowns, two other interceptions and four fumble recoveries," said Spencer.

SCORING SUMMARY

Sophomore Scott Baker ran two yards for the first touchdown.

The second TD came on a 30-yard pass to freshman Travis Weaver.

The third TD was on a 65-yard pass to Bugyi.

Number four TD came on a 30-yard run by Kucharek.

The fifth one came on a 20-yard pass interception by freshman Corey Northrop.

Touchdown number six was on a 55-yard run by Bugyi.

The seventh and final TD came on a 35-yard pass interception by Perrin.

The junior varsity squad, presently at 3-1 for the season, hosts division opponent Lincoln-Alcona this Thursday, October 1, at 6:30 p.m.

GHS golfers hit best score of year

By Nancy Lemmen

The Grayling High School boys golf team finished 2nd at a tri-meet at Mancelona on September 21 with a 186. Boyne City won with a 175. Mancelona took 3rd place.

Top scorers for the Vikings were senior Jeff Pahssen with a 44; senior Josh Wyss, 45; junior Josh Wells, 48; and junior Ben Cook, 49.

"It was our best score to date," said Coach Herb Olson.

BOYNE CITY MEET

The Vikings fell to 4th place in a four-team meet at Boyne City's Ye Nine Old Holes Golf Course on September 23 with a 194. Inland Lakes took 1st; Boyne City, 2nd; and Elk Rapids, 3rd—only three strokes ahead of Grayling with a 191.

Wells led the team with a 47. Pahssen and Cook both shot a 49; and freshman Kevin Langseth had a 53.

Although the course was fairly easy, "the greens were really tough to putt

on," said Olson.

HOME AGAINST FAIRVIEW

Grayling lost by nine strokes to a tough Fairview team on September 25 at the Grayling Country Club.

"Fairview is really good for a small school team," said Olson.

Of the 26 golfers, Cook took medalist honors with a 40—his best round of the season. Wyss shot 43 (4th place); Wells, 48 (8th place); Pahssen, 49 (9th place); and Langseth and sophomore Charlie Kucharek, 50 (to tie for 11th place).

The Vikings scored an 180—"our best year-to-date," said Olson.

The golf team competes in Charlevoix at Belvedere Country Club on Wednesday, September 30, at 4 p.m., and hosts Rogers City at the Grayling Country Club on Monday, October 5, at 4 p.m. The conference meet is at the Grand Traverse Resort Golf Course in Acme on Wednesday, October 7, at 11 a.m.

Viking 8th graders handle Roscommon team 14-11

The Grayling Middle School 8th grade girls basketball B team defeated Roscommon, 14-11, on September 23.

"The team came out right from the start and played aggressive defense and good offense," said Coach John Smock.

"The starting line played a strong game," he said.

Guard Jessica St. Germain led the team in scoring with eight points. Forward Jaymie Brannan followed with six points. Angie Floriano played a strong defensive game in the middle and guard Rachel Porter also played a solid defensive game, said Smock.

Forward Jami Secord led the Vikings with 15 rebounds.

"I have never before had a player, whether a girl or boy, to have as many rebounds," said Smock. "I have said all along that Jami Secord was my top rebounder and she showed that against Roscommon."

"I'm very proud of this team," he said. "After the poor showing against Cheboygan, they showed they can play with anybody. If we can continue to work hard in practice, they will have a successful season."

CHEBOYGAN GAME

The Vikings fell, 31-4, to the Cheboygan Chiefs on September 21.

"Again, just like the game in West Branch, the team came out flat and played a lackluster game," said Smock.

St. Germain and Brannan had two points each. Floriano led in the rebounding column with 12.

"This team has to work on getting down the floor and setting up the defense," said Smock. "We continually got beat down the floor. We will be working on this and taking the ball to the basket on offense."

The B squad hosts West Branch St. Joseph on Wednesday, September 30, and Wolverine on Monday, October 5.



NO GIMMES--Josh Wells, of the GHS golf team, has to hole out this ten-inch putt in a practice round. There are no gimmes in match play. (Nancy Lemmen photo)

Range Firing

Range firing will be conducted at Camp Grayling in the following areas:

The Small Arms ranges located west of Lake Margrethe, north of Howe Road, east of the gas pipeline, and south of Portage Creek. Firing will begin on September 30 and cease on October 4.

The Small Arms ranges located at Arrowhead Road in Kalkaska County. Firing will begin on September 30 and cease on October 4.

Range 30 Complex located north of North Down River Road, east of Jones Lake Road, south of County Road 612, and west of Damon Truck Trail. Firing will begin on September 30 and cease on October 7.

The Range 40 Complex, Air to Ground, located north of County Rd. 612, east of Guthrie Lake, south of Old State Rd. 618, and west of County Rd. 697 (Twin Bridge Rd). Firing will be from September 30 through October 3, and October 6 through October 7.

THE AVALANCHE: YOUR WANT AD PAPER

Undefeated Petoskey team beats freshman girls 49-38

The GHS freshman girls basketball team tried playing David versus Goliath Sept. 23 but fell 49-38 to an undefeated, tall Petoskey squad.

"The girls played tough the whole game," said Viking coach Mark Hartman, "just a couple of key turnovers at the end of the game made the difference."

Jenny Wilkins led the team with 18 points. Jennifer Richardson had six points. Jennifer Wallace and Monica Lawrence each had five points. Stacie Mead and Sarah Amman both had two points.

"Jennifer Richardson, Jennifer Pahssen, Sarah Amman, Jenny Wilkins, and Monica Lawrence had real good defensive game against a much taller Petoskey team," said Hartman.

The Vikings battled with Gaylord the whole game but came up a little short of the Blue Devils' home court 47-40 September 23.

"The girls hustled well the entire game and stayed with Gaylord, but we just couldn't make that key shot," said Hartman. "We'll definitely be ready for them next time."

Wilkins again was high scorer with 18 points. Lawrence scored eight points, Pahssen had six points, Wallace scored four, and Amman and Richardson scored two each.

"The team played real well against the always tough Gaylord team," said Hartman. "The defense was pretty good."

The freshman team plays Kalkaska Monday, October 5, at Grayling, and Harrison, Wednesday, October 7, at Grayling.

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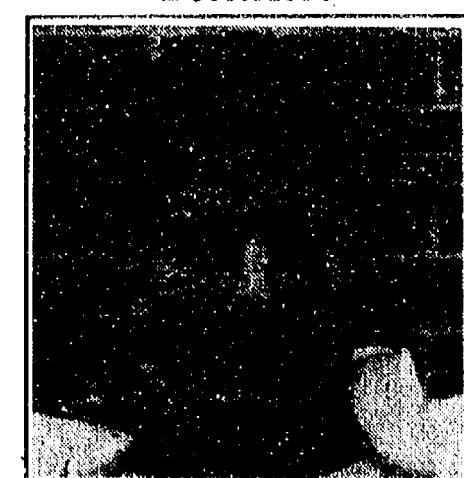
Offensive



Gary Schroyer

The senior halfback rushed 20 times for 256 yards, including three touchdowns. He caught two passes for 78 yards, one a 68-yard TD run. At linebacker, he was the second leading tackler with 14.

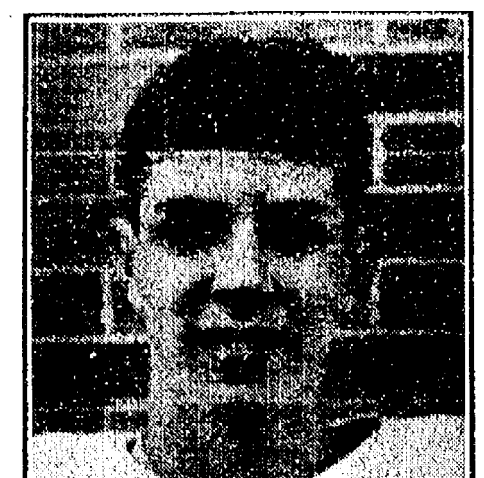
Defensive



Steve Branch

The senior linebacker had 21 tackles. This is the fourth straight game he has led the team in tackles. He also had two interceptions, the second one leading to the game-winning touchdown drive.

Defensive



Chris Wolcott

The junior safety had 12 tackles and two interceptions, both touchdown-saving plays. His second interception stopped Charlevoix's drive with 22 seconds remaining in the game.

Grayling's shots don't fall, lose two

By Nancy Lemmen

"It was not a good week for Grayling," said girls varsity basketball team Coach Howard Lehti.

The GHS squad fell to Gaylord, 58-47, on September 22.

Grayling got off to a slow start, scoring only six points to Gaylord's 12 in the first quarter. Halftime score was 24-15 and the tally after three quarters was 42-28.

"The name of the game that won it for Gaylord is that we had some costly turnovers and lack of rebounding," said Coach Howard Lehti. "We were getting only one shot at the basket and that was it. We have to work on rebounding. Gaylord was boxing us out very physically; they probably did the best job preventing us from getting rebounds of any team to this point."

Junior Darcie McCurdy had a good all-around ball game and junior Elissa Cox provided good support coming off the bench, said Lehti.

Sophomore Nicole Parker led in the scoring column with 12 points. She put in a nice performance in her first game after being sidelined with an injury, said Lehti.

Seniors Sarah Micek and Heidi Craigie each had eight, with two of Craigie's buckets coming on three-point shots. McCurdy added six; Andrus, five; Cox, four; and junior Angie Mertes and senior Amy Vandecar, two each.

In rebounds, Micek led with six. McCurdy had five; Parker, Vandecar and Andrus, three each; and Craigie, one.

In assists, Parker had four; Mertes and Cox, three apiece; and Andrus and Micek, one apiece.

In steals, Vandecar and McCurdy made four each; Craigie, two; and junior Mandee Micek and Cox, one each.

Grayling shot six for 18 at the free throw line as compared to Gaylord's 14 for 18. The Vikings were 30% from the floor.

ALCONA GAME

The news was no better in the game against Lincoln-Alcona on September

24, when the Vikings fell, 54-40.

Grayling led after the first quarter, 9-8, and the score was tied at 16 at halftime.

"Then it was downhill for the Grayling squad," said Lehti. After the third period, Alcona led, 30-26, and "the fourth quarter was devastating for Grayling. We got outscored, 24-14, so the final score was 54-40."

Craigie had 12 points, including two three-pointers. S. Micek added eight; Vandecar, seven; Mertes and McCurdy, four each; Parker, three; and Andrus, two.

S. Micek had ten rebounds; McCurdy, eight; Vandecar, five; Andrus, four; junior Suzan Lovely,

Mertes and Craigie, two each; and Parker, one.

Craigie had three assists and Parker, two.

Craigie had five steals; Vandecar, four; S. Micek, three; and Parker, one."

Sarah Micek remained strong on the boards, maintaining her ten-rebound average — a personal goal for her," said Lehti.

"Angie Mertes went in and helped us get the team rolling in the right direction in the third quarter, and we closed it down to about five points," said Lehti. "Things looked pretty good there, but Alcona scored a few easy baskets and got their lead back to ten."

"It was Amy Vandecar's best all-around ball game so far," said Lehti. "She shot five for six at the free throw line. She moved well to the basket, and this is something we want her to do for the rest of the season to get the opponents guarding her into foul trouble."

"Generally speaking, the entire Grayling squad has not attacked the basket enough, and therefore hasn't gone to the free throw line enough, which would help us with more points," said Lehti.

"Craigie provided a good scoring threat from the perimeter. She was two for two from the foul line, which is something the entire squad has been working on — improving our percentage."

Grayling shot eight for 15 from the foul line, compared to 19 for 31 for

Alcona.

"We have to shoot more free throws and more field goal attempts," said Lehti. "I think we're going to be a lot better in the second half of the season."

"Normally you don't see that difference in free throws in ball games. Some of it was attributable to the fact that we had to get the ball back with four minutes to go. Of course, when we fouled, the clock stopped. We were gambling that the other team would miss their free throws, but they did a great job in the fourth quarter shooting pressure free throws. But if we hadn't fouled them, they would have stalled and held the ball, so we had no choice."

"Grayling missed numerous high percentage shots, a lot of them right under the basket. We have a lot of work to do on pressure shooting situations. We shoot a lot better in practice, then panic in game situations. Grayling could have had 20 more points. You have to put those in."

Leading rebounder for the week was Sarah Micek. Assists leader was Nicole Parker.

The Vikings host division opponent Whittemore-Prescott on Thursday, October 1.

Sports



RIP-ROARING START--Heidi Craigie, left, and Amy Vandecar break through a giant hoop to start off warm-ups for their game against Gaylord. (Bryan Bearss photo)

Rebounding leads 7th grade girls to win

The 7th grade B girls squad used a team effort in beating Roscommon 18-6 at the Bucks' court September 23.

Colleen Dale and Nicki Osga each scored six points. Kristi Irish scored four and Amy Martella swished two free throws for two points.

"The girls played an aggressive, controlled game," said coach Daniel St. Amour. "All the girls improved in some way. As a team the girls made positive strides related to a team approach to playing ball."

St. Amour said she saw the girls taking control of the game's tempo.

"They worked hard to make positive things happen. I was happy to see the girls using their left hands more—we have been focusing on building up their left hands so that they are better ball handlers."

In the girls' opening game of the year at St. Joseph September 16 they lost 14-12. Osga was high scorer for Grayling with six points.

"The team played well," said St. Amour. "All girls put forth 100% effort."

In the team's home opener September 21, Cheboygan beat them 22-12.

Nicki Osga was the high scorer again with six points and Amy Martella led the team in rebounding.

"The score doesn't indicate the skill difference between the two teams," said St. Amour. "We were not ten points below them. Our shots just wouldn't score and it seemed as if anything Cheboygan put up went in. I'm confident we will be the victors when we play them in Cheboygan."

She said her team's defense was great and the girls improved on rebounding and being aggressive on the ball.

The B team played at Kalkaska Monday, September 28, and hosts St. Joseph Wednesday, September 30, at 6 p.m.

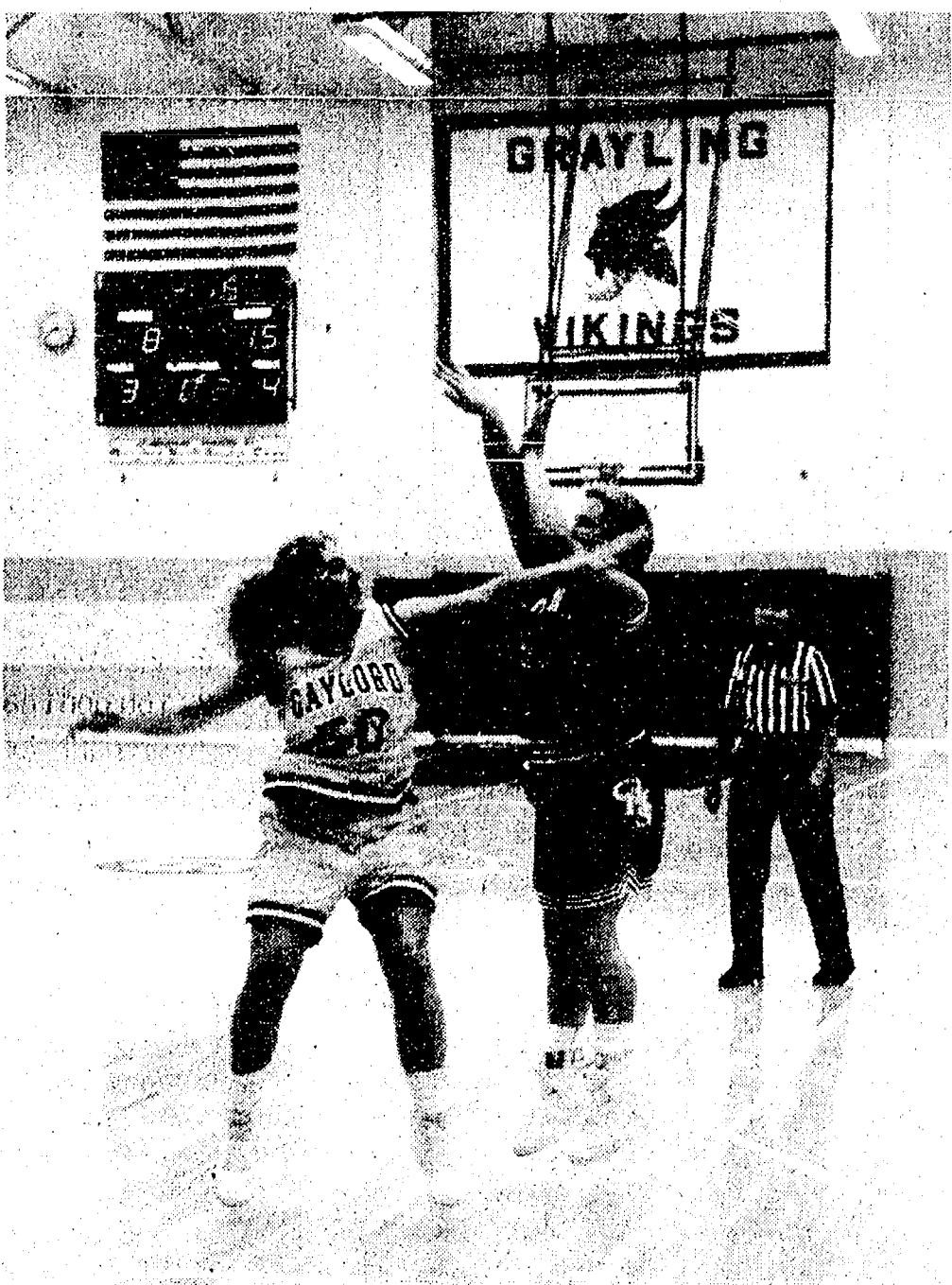
Grayling's rebounding led to a 22-13 victory by the seventh grade A team over Roscommon on the Bucks' court September 23.

"The team played strong defensively," said coach Harold Mertes. "The person-to-person type defense has improved greatly. We rebounded well on both ends of the floor and that was the deciding factor of the game. The offense was hampered by turnovers. Our immediate goal is to work hard on improving this aspect of the game."

Kristie Cadeau, Erin Mills, and Nikki Strohpaul each scored six points. Jamie Tobias added four points.

Mertes listed these outstanding individual efforts: Strohpaul's ability to get into proper position and jump high while rebounding; Nicole Craigie's aggressive defensive play and ability to setpicks; Cadeau's strong offensive and defensive play; Mills' outstanding hustle and ability to take the ball to the basket, and Tobias' strong rebounding and ability to take the ball to the basket.

The A team played at Kalkaska Monday and travels to Gaylord St. Mary Wednesday, Sept. 30. On Monday, Oct. 5, they play at Gaylord.



OUTSIDE JUMPER--Sarah Micek hits this jump shot from the outside despite a Gaylord defender in her face. (Bryan Bearss photo)

Bowling

Recreation League		American 2nd Division		Sunday Nite Mixed Doubles		
Glen's Market	8	McLean's	9	Duey's	9-3	
Holiday Inn	7	Upper Lakes	7	Down River Ace	8-4	
Cornell Real Estate	7	Northland Appliance	7	All Seasons Drywall	8-4	
Shel-Haven	6	Skips	6	Gray Rock Bombers	7-5	
Mickey Perez	6	Hardce's	6	Drakes	6-6	
Peterson Saw Service	5	American Legion	5	Seawald Industries	5-7	
Scheer Motors	5	Swamp II	4	R & R Auto Sales	3-9	
Sears of Grayling	4	Glen's	4	Custom Interiors	2-10	
High Game: A. Small, 213, P. Petrosky, 182, R. Gierke, 175. High Series: A. Small, 495, G. Taylor, 492, P. Terry, 485.		High Game: P. Nunn, 210, D. Canfield, 209, L. Davis Sr., 200. High Series: T. Ockerman, 544, S. Czapek, 539, P. Nunn, 533.		Men's High Game: M. Harris, 198, C. Hellebuyck, 197, E. Woolsey, 194. Men's High Series: E. Woolsey, 527, W. Fedewa, 503, M. Harris, 495.		
Women's High Game: J. Hinds, 195, M. Miller, 166, B. LaMonte, 165. Women's High Series: J. Hinds, 506, M. Miller, 473, B. LaMonte, 466.				Women's High Game: J. Hinds, 195, M. Miller, 166, B. LaMonte, 165. Women's High Series: J. Hinds, 506, M. Miller, 473, B. LaMonte, 466.		
Pioneer League		Sunday Afternoon Fun League		Thursday Coffee League		
Chemical Bank	6-2	Helsels Forest	10	Legion Lanes	11	
Aunt Betty's	5-3	Grayling Restaurant	9	The Mothers	10	
Millikins	4-4	Parsons	9	AsSable	10	
Custom Interiors	4-4	Carquest	5	Pitmans Rentals	8	
Mercy Hospital	4-4	Legion	5	Ole Dam	8	
F.O.E. Auxiliary	4-4	Lovells Hardware	4	Lone Pine	7	
Avalanche	3-5	Old Kent	3	Dan's Dolls	6	
High Game: J. Yoder, 200, M. Perez, 180, J. Potter, 173. High Series: J. Yoder, 501, C. Jones, 465, N. Glaslee, 462.		Spikes		3	W2 Bookkeeping	4
		Women's High Game: D. Royce, 181, S. Romain, 178, E. Helsel, 162. Women's High Series: D. Royce, 499, S. Romain, 461, E. Helsel, 423.		High Game: B. Walker, 199, C. Curtis, 185, F. Frisbie, 182. High Series: B. Walker, 498, D. Helsel, 461, F. Frisbie, 457.		
		Men's High Game: L. Baker, 203, J. Contreras, 194, J. Helsel, 183. Men's High Series: J. Contreras, 531, L. Baker, 528, J. Helsel, 517.				
American First Division		Northwood League		Triangle League		
#7	8	Econo Cuts	10	Milltown Feed	30-18	
#4	8	Doc Deans	8	R & R Computers	28.5-19.5	
CSI	6	Graceful Grammas	8	Ed's Team	26-22	
Bear's Country Inn	3	Ben Franklin	6	Woloham Lumber	25.5-22.5	
Barber Construction	3	Bubbles Belles	8	R & R Auto Sales	24-24	
K of C	2	McLeans Ace Hardware	8	Red Barn	10-38	
Riverside Tavern	2	Goodale's Bakery	6	9-24 results: High Game: B. Malinowski, 211, K. Vandusen, 210, T. Kauffman, 203. High Series: B. Malinowski, 522, V. McAuley, 452, K. Vandusen, 507.		
John-Al Construction	0	Subway	2	9-17 results: High Game: T. Kauffman, 201, V. McAuley, 167, L. Mahaffy, 166. High Series: T. Kauffman, 555, V. McAuley, 483, W. Harris, 454.		
High Game: F. Wolcott, 215, T. Brooks, 213, D. Lozon, 208. High Series: T. Messerschmidt, 523, B. Stephanik, 514, A. Hoffman, 510.		High Game: M. Miller, 196, P. Papendick, 182, J. Tobias, 179. High Series: M. Miller, 529, P. Papendick, 528, J. Tobias, 460.		9-10 results: High Game: T. Kauffman, 244, 191, V. McAuley, 183, M. Enos, 166. High Series: T. Kauffman, 597, V. McAuley, 480, W. Mahaffy, 477.		
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Budweiser	8					
Sear's	8					
Georgia Pacific	6					
Carlisle Paddles	3					
Sutiles	2					
Legion Lanes	2					
Frederic Inn	2					
Northland Appliance	0					
High Game: B. Peters, 215, D. DeHart, 214, D. Canfield, 213. High Series: D. Canfield, 602, B. Peters, 570, D. DeHart, 543.						

Junior Basketball

Girls Junior Basketball	
3-4 Grade	
AuSable Woodworking Hawks	3-0
Glen's Market Spartans	2-1
Crawford AuSable Comm. Ed. Celtics	1-2
Mac's Drugs Mustangs	0-3

5-6 Grade	
John Hunter's Pisons	3-2
Laurines Wolverines	2-1
DuBois Lumber Knicks	2-1
Scheer Motors Timberwolves	1-2
Holiday Inn Hornets	1-2
Weyerhaeuser Pacers	0-3

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SCORING FROM THE LINE--JV sophomore Misty Burden scores from the free throw line in the home game against Gaylord. (Bryan Bearss photo)

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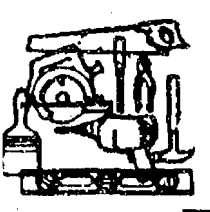
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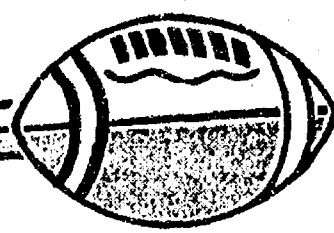


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Howe had 18 total points edging out Eric LaForest on the first tiebreaker. Coming close were Mark Hartman, Leon D'Amour, Fred Krolkowski, Candace Grigsby, Melanie Cragg, Monte Malonen, Sr., Duane Wales, Scott Sherfield, Alice Miller, Heidi Mead, and Hugh McLean who scored 17 points (remember the two-point bonus game made a possible total of 19 points).

Overall leaders so far are Edward Moggo, 59; Corky Hellebuyck, 58; Paul Hartman,

58; John Meredith, 57; David Bendig and son, 57; Clark Allen, 57; Kenneth Polley, 56; Linda Munsey, 56; Betty MacLeod, 56; Matt Keir, 56; Thomas Goddard, 56; Leon D'Amour, 56; Cheryl Callahan, 56; Mary Ann Blair, 56.

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| 7. Houston | 18. Tampa Bay 27-23 |
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2. Write the advertiser's name on entry form for game one. All the advertisers must be included.
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- *\$10 gift certificate from Sears of Grayling
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3. Completed entry blanks must be returned to the Avalanche no later than 5 p.m. Friday before each week's games. Mailed entries must be postmarked no later than 5 p.m. Friday. Mail to Avalanche, PO Box 490, Grayling, MI, 49738.
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By Joe Murphy

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I treasure most his gift of memory
The power to recall loved ones gone before
And those happy days that used to be

To live those happy childhood days once more
With my old pals of days of old
Memories of those baseball games at twilight
I now treasure more than gold

Those happy days with mom and dad
So filled with love and joy
Return again in my memories
Of that sun tanned country boy

Though I'm now aged and feeble
And find it hard to get around
I remember that lad who used to
Run all the way to town

Thank you Lord, for all your gifts
But I want to thank you most of all
For all the joy that fills my heart
As my store of memories I recall

Features



STEAL YOUR HEART--Bandit, this four-year-old cocker mix, is housebroken and ready for a new owner. Call the animal shelter at 348-4117 or visit the shelter at 508 1/2 Huron (M-72 East) Monday through Saturday. (Betsey Mitchell photo)

Pet Care Tip

Vote for political candidates who favor your humane views. Make it plain to local political groups that you have a strong interest in helping animals.

Your Horoscope

Forecast Period: Oct. 4-10	
ARIES Mar. 21-Apr. 19	You may have to sacrifice your social life now in order to improve your financial situation. It will get better.
TAURUS Apr. 20-May 20	Do not be afraid to take the initiative. What may seem unrealistic to some will not be a problem for you.
GEMINI May 21-June 20	Seek advice from experts. You will have a hard time making a decision on your own. Accept help when it is offered.
CANCER June 21-July 22	You have been avoiding that romantic commitment. Someone may get tired of waiting if you don't act soon.
LEO July 23-Aug. 22	Do not be afraid to say no. It would be impossible for you to accomplish everything that everyone asks of you.
VIRGO Aug. 23-Sept. 22	Complications in yours or a loved ones health may curtail travel plans. Don't put off seeking medical advice.
LIBRA Sept. 23-Oct. 22	Career options become limited. This is not a good time to seek employment elsewhere. Be patient.
SCORPIO Oct. 23-Nov. 21	Productivity at work should be uppermost on your mind. Home life may suffer, it will only be for a short time.
SAGITTARIUS Nov. 22-Dec. 21	Remember to show appreciation to those who deserve it. You are not the only one who has been putting in extra hours.
CAPRICORN Dec. 22-Jan. 19	Domestic harmony seems to have disappeared. Look a little harder. Children need your attention now more than ever.
AQUARIUS Jan. 20-Feb. 18	All hell breaks loose at work. You may not be able to solve the problems, but you can help put an end to the gossip.
PISCES Feb. 19-Mar. 20	Your independence is threatened. How you fight to hold on to it is more important than the outcome. Keep your head up!

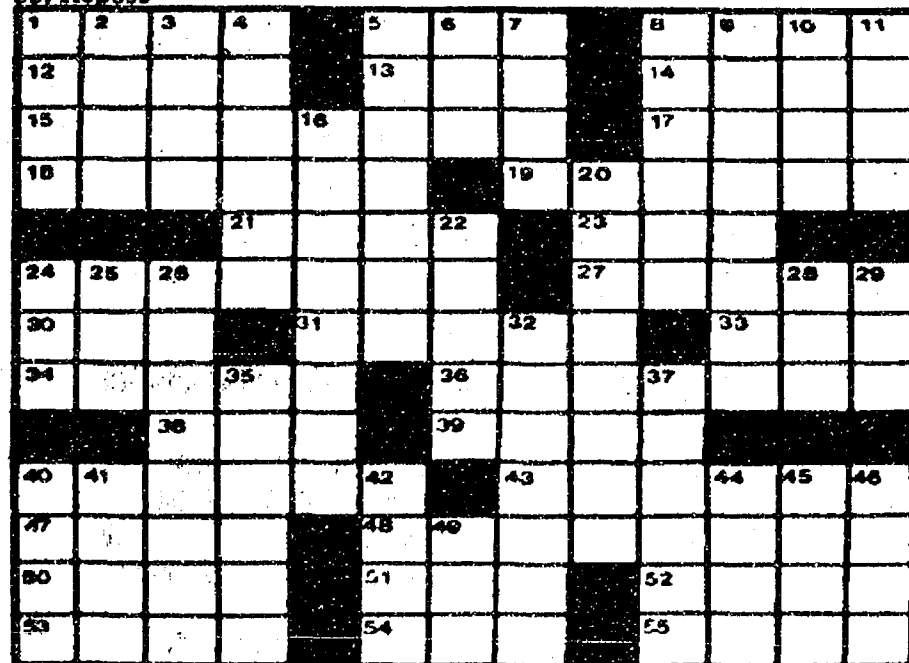
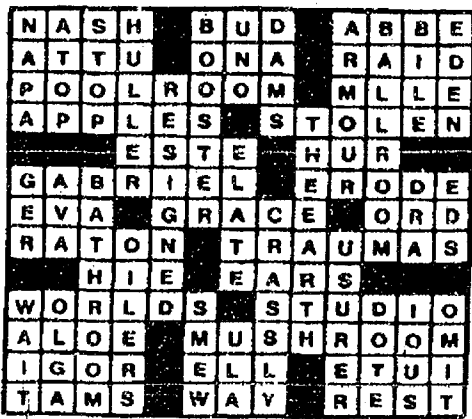
Weekend Crossword

ACROSS

- Car of the 50's
- Almost a flower
- Abbot
- Aleutian island
- Actress Munson
- Attack
- Billiard place
- Mademoiselle (abbr.)
- Jonathan and Granny
- Pilfered
- This (Sp.)
- "Ben"
- Heavenly
- horablower
- Corrode
- A Gabor
- "Amazing"
- CA fort
- Boch, FL
- Emotional shocks
- Hurry
- Pitcher handles
- "The Greatest Lover"
- Workshop
- Medicinal plant
- Expand rapidly
- Mr. Stravinsky
- House addition
- Small case
- Berets
- Manner
- Repose

DOWN

- CA valley
- Above
- Cease
- Fruit preparer
- Type of shot
- Family card game
- Beaver creation
- Defensive covering
- Waltz place
- Liver secretion
- Barbara or Anthony
- Relinquished
- Glad
- Convert to Judaism
- Ms. Gardner
- Cleansing area
- Measure in Tripoli
- Norton and Ames
- Crudely



A Look At Our Past

from the pages of the Avalanche

23 years ago October 2, 1969

Edward Harkins, vice president of Kirtland Community College, has announced that the new enrollment for Kirtland Community College for this fall semester is 348 students. This figure is nearly double the head count of our initial opening year and follows the national growth pattern of community colleges. This trend indicates that our third year enrollment next fall will be triple our first enrollment. A major shift in students make-up has also been noticed with a higher percentage of students being enrolled full-time.

Three Grayling ladies were picked the winners of the identity contest of Grayling's business people.

First place winner was Mrs. Anthony S. Buron of 807 Vine Street; Mrs. Carl H. Neilson of 402 Ionia St was winner of second place; and Mrs. Karl Golnick of 902 Maple St., winner of third place.

The Grayling Vikings rolled to their third win in as many games as they overwhelmed the Pellston Hornets on their home field last Friday, 42-22.

Emil Kraus, owner of the Ben Franklin in Grayling announced this week the complete remodeling of the interior of the store.

The project consists of paneling of the walls and all new merchandise islands for more convenience to the customers. A representative of Ben Franklin stores is overseeing the work.

We hope it doesn't keep raining and spoil our beautiful fall colors. A New Yorker commented that he did not realize how hard it had been raining 'till he saw animals walking up Broadway two by two.

George Austin and James Doran of Detroit announce the opening of the Pine Knoll Mobile Home and Travel Trailer Park.

Situated on M-93, three miles west of Grayling, the park offers 45 shaded mobile home sites and 275 travel trailer sites. A service building with the flush toilets and showers also offers a lovely modern laundry.

The mobile home park is equipped with natural gas, sewers, and all underground wiring. Located in a beautiful recreation area, the park is managed by a local couple, Ross and Connie Argue.

Mary Liz McNamara, Bridget Hoffman and Bernie Larson spent Friday and Saturday before last at Camp Kitt 4-H camp near Cadillac.

Mr. and Mrs. Mathew Bidvia returned home Saturday before last from spending a week at Cedarville doing some fishing. They had as their guests from Tuesday until Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Larson.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wininger have recently moved here from Romulus. He is an electrician. They have two sons, Steve, 12, who is in the seventh grade, and Chris, 8, who is in third. They both attend Grayling public schools.

David Blaha spent the weekend visiting his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Vernon Blaha. Dave is attending Medical school at the University of Michigan

in Ann Arbor.

46 years ago October 3, 1946

Mr. and Mrs. Art Wilbur of Lansing called on the C. S. Barbers one day last week enroute North.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kellogg left for their home in Northville Sunday. Johnny is feeling better but will rest up for a while.

Bill VonSee left Sunday for Alaska where he will resume his duties in the U.S. service as 1st Lt. in the Army. His wife and son will be leaving soon and join him there where they expect to reside for a time.

Shu-Pac Lake was stocked this week with 15,000 rainbow trout by the Grayling Hatchery.

A very nice dinner was served Sunday at the Douglas Hotel in honor of Bud Caid who is expecting to leave soon for the Army, also honoring little Miss Martha Stillwagon of Grayling who celebrated her seventh birthday.

Michigan leads all states and Canadian provinces in the number of deer killed last hunting season, according to a survey published by *Outdoor Life Magazine*.

Ross and Sandy Thompson are attending Central Michigan College of Education at Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Freeman of Gagetown are visiting their daughter and family, the Willard Cornells, for a couple of weeks.

Mrs. Marjorie Doroh has returned to work at Dawson's after enjoying a two week's vacation. Mrs. Paul Lawton is now on vacation.

Mrs. Bertha Dannenberg spent Monday in Traverse City on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pochelon Sr. and daughter, Miss Emma Louise of Detroit spent the weekend at their cottage down river. Albert Pochelon Jr. joined his wife and daughter, Julia for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl J. Bauer Sr. and Mrs. Carl J. Bauer Jr., and sons, John and Peter, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Schumann.

The first fall meeting of Home Extension Group 3 was held at the home of Mrs. K. K. Kitchen on September 27. Project leader Mrs. Leo Jorgenson presented the lesson entitled "Co-relation of Colors in the home." Mrs. John Mallingier, Mrs. Wilfred Laurant and Mrs. Kitchen served on the luncheon committee.

John Selesky and Clarence Roberts made the canoe trip from Grayling to Mio September 25 in nine hours and 50 minutes. The trip usually takes three days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hoesli are enjoying a week's vacation in N. Carolina and Tennessee.

The W. O. Hildebrand family has returned to their home in Lansing after spending the summer months at their cottage at the lake.

Frank Hayes of Lansing arrived Monday to spend some time with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hayes down river.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Nielson, and Mrs. Alfred Hanson spent the weekend in Marquette, guests of Mr. and Mrs.

Russell Robertson and the Guy Peterson family.

Mrs. C. G. Clippert, Mrs. Earl Burns, Mrs. A. J. Joseph, Mrs. Leonard Knibbs, Mrs. Royale Wright and Mrs. Ray Clement attended the Woman's Republican meeting at Bay City on Wednesday.

Martha Stillwagon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Stillwagon celebrated her seventh birthday last Monday evening with a party at which 10 friends and relatives attended.

Mrs. Harley Russell and Mrs. Fred Lamm spent Wednesday in Bay City.

Eleven little folks were gathered at the "Wm. LaGrow residence Sunday afternoon to celebrate the seventh birthday of their daughter, Connie. A peanut hunt was won by Sharron Hodgson. The remainder of the time was spent putting together a jig-saw puzzle, balloons being awarded to the children who were able to complete theirs.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Crouch are new residents at Lake Margrethe having moved here from Bad Axe.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Penrod left Wednesday after spending several days as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold MacNeven and visiting other friends.

Dicky Bearss spent the weekend at the Roy Papenfus home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Griffith entertained with a cocktail party Sunday afternoon at their home down river for their house guests, Dr. and Mrs. Victor L. Garbutt of Laguna Beach, California. The Garbuts were summer residents of the AuSable River for over 30 years.

Arnold and Bert Plagens of Memphis came Saturday to continue work on the Bert Plagens house.

69 years ago October 4, 1923

From the Frederic School notes: The sophomore class was organized last Tuesday night, Florence Goodenough being elected as president, Bernard Callahan as vice-president, Constance Gardar, treasurer and Edna Nelson as secretary.

The football lineup for G.H.S. was Leo Morency, lg; Vernon Kligen Smith, lt; Rufus Edmonds, lg; Henry Ruresky, c; Chuck Isenhauer, rg; Oro Ingalls, rt; Wac LaGrow, re; E. McPhee, fb; G. Granger, lb; C. Ingalls, rh; M. Martin, qb; substitutes for LaGrow, Barrett; for Morency, LaGrow; for Barrett, Morency; for Granger, Matson.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank LaMonte, a daughter on Monday, October 1.

A number of ladies pleasantly surprised Mrs. Efner Matson at her home Thursday evening, the occasion being her birthday anniversary. The ladies played "500." Mrs. Ambrose received first prize and Mrs. Max Landsberg second. A two course lunch was served by the Misses Anna Peterson, Agnes Havens and Vera Matson. Mrs. Matson was presented with a cut glass dish.

Miss Eva Hendrickson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hendrickson of this city has entered Mercy Hospital Training School for nurses.

About 25 friends of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Clark of the south side helped them celebrate their silver wedding Friday night of last week. Music, dancing and lunch were enjoyed. Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Braker and Miss Cora Heath of Toledo.

George K. Kirkendall and family have moved from Madison Street on the south side into the John Olson house on Maple St.

Charles Damoth of Frederic is in Mercy Hospital having been injured by cutting a knee with an axe while working in the lumber camp.

Rev. J. H. Baughn, newly appointed pastor for Michelson Memorial Church and his family arrived Tuesday night and are now getting settled into the parsonage. Besides Mrs. Baughn there is a little daughter, Romaine, and son, Bernard. Rev. W. L. Jones and family left Tuesday. He has been appointed to the pastorate of the Churches at Decker, Shabbona and Elmer in the thumb district and will reside in the former place.

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The Bible Speaks

From The
Calvary Baptist Church

Is Hell Good?

God's plan for Hell was good because God made it. "Then shall he say also unto them on the left hand, Depart from me, ye cursed, into everlasting fire, prepared for the devil and his angels." (MAT 25:41). In the first two chapters of Genesis, God used the word "good" a dozen times to describe His creation. Everything God made was good.

God's purpose for Hell was good. Lucifer was created good, but fell through his own rebellion against God and became the devil. "How art thou fallen from heaven, O Lucifer, son of the morning! [how] art thou cut down to the ground, which didst weaken the nations!" (ISA 14:12). "Thou [art] the anointed cherub that covereth; and I have set thee [so]: thou wast upon the holy mountain of God; thou hast walked up and down in the midst of the stones of fire. Thou [wast] perfect in thy ways for the day that thou wast created, till iniquity was found in thee. By the multitude of thy merchandise

they have filled the midst of thee with violence, and thou hast sinned: therefore I will cast thee as profane out of the mountain of God; and I will destroy thee, O covering cherub, from the midst of the stones of fire." (EZE 28:14-16).

God's proclamation of Hell is good. Like Satan and His angels, man has chosen to rebel against God. "Lo, this only have I found, that God hath made man upright; but they have sought out many inventions." (ECC 7:29). God pleads with the wicked, "Say unto them, [As] I live, saith the Lord GOD, I have no pleasure in the death of the wicked; but that the wicked turn from his way and live: turn ye, turn ye from your evil ways; for why will ye die? (EZE 33:11).

Hell is a part of the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ. "For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life." (JOH 3:16). That little word "perish" should bring terror to the unsaved heart. God sacrificed His only begotten Son for us that we

might not perish. "For God sent not His Son into the world to condemn the world; but that the world through him might be saved." (JOH 3:17). Jesus Christ came to take our sin, death, and Hell.

People make their own choice to go to Hell. "He that believeth on Him is not condemned: but he that believeth not is condemned already, because he hath not believed in the name of the only begotten Son of God. And this is the condemnation, that light is come into the world, and men loved darkness rather than light, because their deeds were evil. For every one that doeth evil hateth the light, neither cometh to the light, lest his deeds should be reproved." (JOH 3:18-20). Where will you spend eternity?

Pastor "B"

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RSVP program adds 11 volunteers

The Retired Senior Volunteer Program would like to welcome new volunteers Barbara Olsen, Mary Lou Wojahn, Joyce Mullin, Phyllis Schnaidt, Lois Collen, Myrtle Graham, Delores Hall, Phyllis Hall, Phyllis Tackett and Evelyn Keir. Also joining the RSVP family of stations are Grayling Jr. Basketball and Grayling City Police.

The Retired Senior Volunteer Program is a national non-profit organization that works hard to promote seniors as important, viable members of their community.

As an R.S.V.P. volunteer, you can enjoy support while doing volunteer work. Supplemental liability protects you and some mileage or bus fare can be reimbursed.

If you are 60 years or over, why not become part of an elite group of persons who make many of the vital services of non-profit organizations possible? You have a lifetime of skills and talents to share with your community.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Mercy Hospital is looking for people to assist with crafts, patient escorts, and clerical assistance.

Commission On Aging needs regular or substitute Meals on Wheels drivers. They are also looking for a couple of volunteers for Respite Care (friendly visitor, companionship).

Grayling Jr. Basketball is looking for a few people to volunteer for concession stands on Saturdays for Girls Basketball.

St. Francis Thrift Shop could use a volunteer to clerk and to aid in the sorting and cleaning of merchandise.

Hartwick Pines would like volunteers in the Book Nook.

Transporters are needed to take elderly to doctor appointments.

Friendly Visitors and Telephone Reassurance callers are needed.

In Home Projects—knitters, crocheters, and sewing from patterns. Yarn, material and fiber-fill for teddy bears are also well appreciated.

Tutors to help with general math, English, and reading.

Piano players for anyone interested in music, dance, or singing are encouraged to join.

Sign painters for R.S.V.P.

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Sunday
Luke
12:1-34
Monday
Job
8:1-22
Tuesday
Job
9:1-35
Wednesday
Amos
5:1-24
Thursday
Colossians
1:15-23
Friday
2 Peter 1:1-21
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Titus
1:1-2.10

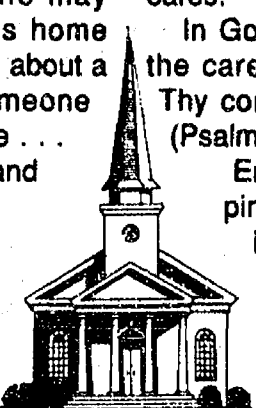
"Remember now . . . leave your shoes at the door. We don't want to bring the outside in!" One may assume that inside of this home there is a person who cares about a pleasant atmosphere; someone who cares about taking care . . . of everyone . . . all ages and sizes.

This week, whether you are nine or ninety-nine, as you approach your house of worship, prepare your mind

for a peaceful and a positive experience. There is Someone there Who cares.

In God's Word we read, "When the cares on my heart are many, Thy consolations cheer my soul." (Psalms 94:19)

Enter God's House with happiness. Don't bring the outside in. Leave your cares behind. Deposit them at the door.



First Baptist Church Of Frederic
Rev. Jim Wright
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Wed. Prayer & Bible Study 7 p.m.

Christ Missionary
Minister H.A. Hennig
4 Mi. East of Frederic
County Rd. 612
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Worship & Praise 11 a.m.
Sun. Evening Service 6 p.m.
Wed. Prayer, Bible Study 6 p.m.

Christian Science Society
209 First St. - Suite 103 - Gaylord
Sunday Service 10:30 a.m.
April through October
2nd Wednesday 8 p.m.

Michelson Memorial
United Methodist Church
Minister Dr. Dennis N. Paulson
400 Michigan Ave.
Church School 9:40-10:40 a.m.
Sunday Worship 8:30 & 11 a.m.
Bible Study (Wed.) 10 a.m.
Children's Choir (Wed.) 3:15 p.m.
Senior Choir (Thurs.) 7 p.m.

Seventh Day Adventist
Pastor David Stramel
Phone 348-4445
Services held Saturday at Camp AuSable in
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Church Service 9:30 a.m.
Sabbath School 10:30 a.m.
Prayer Meeting Tues. 7 p.m.

Grayling Assembly of God
Rev. Ron Voelker, Pastor
Old 27 North, 701 Grayling Rd.
Church - 348-8855
Parsonage 348-2588
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Service 6 p.m.
Wednesday - Family Night
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Pastor Jim Van Liere 348-7699
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Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Wednesday 7 p.m.

St. John Evangelical
Lutheran (ELCA)
Rev. Michael Kemper
710 Spruce St. - Phone 348-5224
Summer Schedule May 26-Sept. 1
Worship 10:30 a.m.
Choir Rehearsal (Tue.) 7 p.m.
No Choir In July

Reorganized Church
Of Jesus Christ
Of Latter Day Saints
Pastor Lacey Stephan, Jr.
Corner of North Down River Rd.
and South Millikin Rd.
Church School 9:45 a.m.
Preaching 11 a.m.
Midweek Service Prayer 7 p.m.

Gaylord Christian Reformed
Rev. V. Schaap
415 Ohio North
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Service 6 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

St. Mary's Catholic Church
Fr. Michael Conner - 348-7291
702 Peninsula - 348-7657
Saturday 5 p.m.
Sunday 9 & 11 a.m.
Weekday Mass
Tuesday 8 a.m.
Wednesday 10 a.m.
Thursday 8 a.m.
Friday 8 a.m.
Confession Saturday 4 p.m.

Calvary Assembly of God
Rev. Lawrence Cook
250 Lake St. - Roscommon - 275-5309
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Lovells Chapel
Pastor Gary Hopp
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Chapel Service 11 a.m.

Calvary Baptist Church
Dr. Robert Barnett, Pastor
M-72 West
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Mid-Week Services
Prayer & Awaken Club (Wed) 7 p.m.

Church of Christ
Gordon French Minister
Old US 27 at Skyline Rd.
348-8573
Sunday School 10:15 a.m.
Communion & Preaching 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Wednesday
Mid-week Bible Study 7 p.m.

Bear Lake Christian
M-72 & East Bear Lake Rd.
Sunday School 9 a.m.
Sunday Service 10 a.m.

The Church of Christ
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Pastor Dohn E. Weaver
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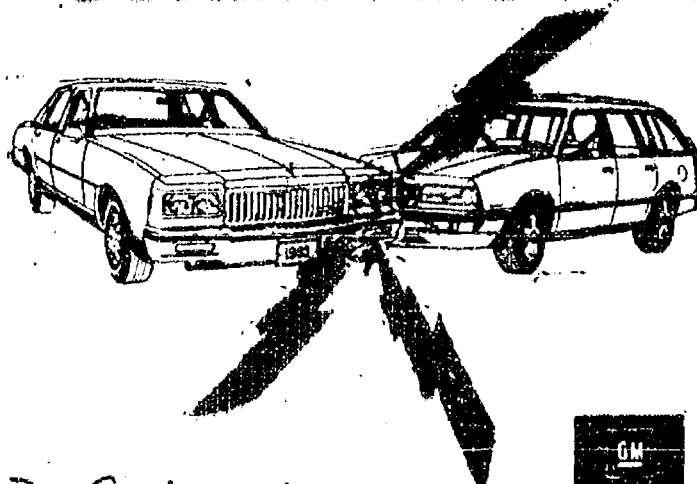
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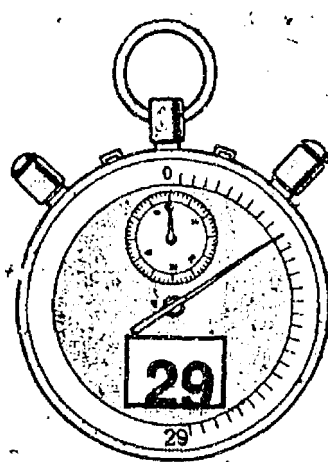
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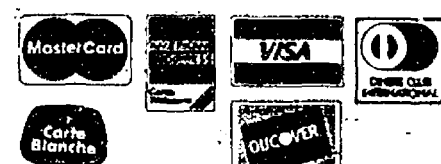
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MEAP tests
beginning at
high school

Grayling High School will be conducting the MEAP Tests beginning the week of September 28th and ending the week of October 23rd. The eleventh grade re-tests will be given during the first week. The tenth grade reading test and the eleventh grade science test will be given during the second week. The tenth grade math test will be given during the third week with make-ups scheduled for the fourth week.

High school counselors, Bill Klinger and Lynn Thompson, encourage all students to do their best on these tests. Beginning with the graduating class of 1994, the students need to pass all three sections of the MEAP Test to receive a state endorsed diploma. Parents can assist students by encouraging a positive attitude, proper rest and perfect attendance during the testing sessions.

Births

The following parents are proud to announce their recent arrivals at Grayling Mercy Hospital:

Michael Chapman and Shari Moore of Grayling: Haley Marie, August 23, 1992, 7 lbs., 10 ozs.

Misty Degasse of Mt. Pleasant: Leah Marguerite, August 30, 1992, 6 lbs., 14.1 ozs.

James and Janice Gorman of Fife Lake: Jennafer Artiss, September 8, 1992, 6 lbs., 9.5 ozs.

Wayne Brower and Darla Daniels of Grayling: Christian David, September 14, 1992, 7 lbs., 14.7 ozs.

Todd Willoughby and Sharon Trudgeon of Grayling: Wesley Allen, September 18, 1992, 5 lbs., 10.5 ozs.

Eric and Rhonda Meyer of Kalkaska: Jesse Christopher, September 18, 1992, 8 lbs., 0.7 ozs.

Matthew Feole and April Matthews of Roscommon: Matthew Paul, September 19, 1992, 10 lbs., 9 ozs.

Frederic News

Eric Alma started classes at Pensacola Christian College in Florida on September 10. Eric graduated from Grayling High School in 1990 and completed two years at Kirtland Community College. Eric is specializing in the field of computers and programing. His address is: PCC Box 1219, 250 Brent Lane, Pensacola, FL, 32503-2280. His friend Brian Hulbert took him to Pensacola, Florida, over Labor Day weekend.

Kasandra Hadrian was born September 14, 1992, at 7 pounds and 11 ounces. She was 20 inches long. Parents are Thearessa Hadrian and Douglas J. White. Grandparents are Vicki and Douglas White and Louann and Tim Hadrian of Detroit. Great grandparents are Chuck and Anna Stoddard of Frederic.

Vicki White and her daughters were here on Sunday, September 20, to visit with her sister, Patty Gabriel of Frederic, sister Barbara Patnode of Roscommon and brother Kenneth Stoddard and sister, Glenda Duncley of Grayling and families.

Wylie, Tullous
exchange vows

John F. Wylie, son of Floyd and Lona Wylie, and Cheryl J. Tullous, daughter of Mick and Bernell Oliver of Orlando, Florida, were married on September 5, 1992. They were married in the garden of Ventura Country Club in Orlando. A reception at the club followed the wedding. The couple are residing at 1606 Colton Drive, Orlando, Florida, 32822.

Bonkowski, Fullerton Wed



The Presbyterian Church, Traverse City was the scene Saturday, October 26, 1991, 5 p.m., of the marriage of MaryJo Anne Bonkowski and Michael Jay Fullerton.

MaryJo is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Bonkowski, Jr. and granddaughter of Mrs. Mary T. Bonkowski, Sr., all from Grayling. The bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert G. Fullerton of Indian River.

Dr. Homer Nye officiated at the double ring formal service. Escorted to the altar by her father, the bride wore her mother's floor-length gown styled with an alencon lace bodice and tissue faille skirt. The bodice featured three-quarter length sleeves. The bouffant skirt drifted into a chapel trail. A hand-beaded pearl headpiece secured her fingertip veil. She carried a bouquet of red roses, baby's breath and ivy greens with white silk streamers. The bride's grandmother served as ring bearer during the ceremony. Maid of honor was Dulcy Goodale of Traverse City. She wore an off the shoulder, black tea length gown and

carried a single long stemmed red rose. Mrs. Pamela Fullerton of Grand Rapids, Ms. Sandy Fullerton of Jackson-hole, Wyo., Mrs. Candy Conant of Mt. Pleasant, sisters of the groom, and Mrs. Ellen Jabour of Traverse City were bridesmaids. They also wore off the shoulder, black tea length gowns and each carried a long stemmed red rose.

The groom greeted his bride at the altar suited in white tails. Mr. Michael C. Wille, bestman, assisted ushers, Mr. Thomas Fullerton of Grand Rapids, Mr. Robert Fullerton of Levering and Mr. Paul Fullerton of St. Ignace, all brothers of the groom, and Mr. William J. Bonkowski III, brother of the bride. All wore formal black tuxedos and red rose boutonnières.

A wedding reception feast was served to 200 at the Masonic Hall following the service. Mr. Mark and Janet Ruddy catered the event.

The newlyweds left for a remote honeymoon vacation to the tropics of the West Indies, to the island of St. Kitts.
The couple reside in Acme.



WEYERHAEUSER DONATION—Pre-school children play on equipment during a break from class at the Grayling Cooperative Nursery (top photo). Mark Jacobs, from Weyerhaeuser presents a check to Sandy Hellebuyck, left, and Brenda Ormsbee, teachers at the Grayling Cooperative Nursery. The \$1,000 donation from the Weyerhaeuser Foundation will help provide additional supplies and programs for the preschool students. (Linda Wright photos)



Lovells News

Mr. John Kaumeuer is a patient at Munson Hospital in Traverse City. His many friends wish him the best.

Mrs. Margie Harwood returned home Friday after enjoying a vacation in Las Vegas.

The Cheerful Givers Club will meet on Thursday October 1, at 10 a.m., at

the club room.

On October 17th at 11 a.m., the annual Lovells Bridge Walk will start at the Riverside Tavern parking lot and end up at the Lovells Township Hall where a pot luck and entertainment will be held. Some firefighting and 1st Response equipment will be on display.

The walk is held by the Lovells Township community to show their support for the fire department and 1st Response unit. All northern Michigan firefighters, families and friends are invited. Sweatshirts on sale to mark this event. Proceeds will go to 1st Response team of Lovells.

For more information contact Caid's Grocery, Riverside Tavern or Jack and Betty's Motel.

Bits of Talk

The children and grandchildren of Rex Lovely surprised him with a party and cook out at Lake Margrethe on September 5 — his 80th birthday. Shawn Marie, daughter of Chum and Barb, couldn't attend, she's teaching in Houston, Texas, but Jerold and Gayle's daughter was home from medical college in Chesterfield, Missouri, and attended the celebration.

Save your good winter coats for the Avalanche Coats for Kids project. Bring clean coats, mittens, hats and scarves to the Avalanche for distribution to children in need throughout the winter.

Jim and Cathy Sorenson of Leesburg, Ohio, are the proud parents of Megan Elizabeth, born August 14, 1992. Brother Matthew is enjoying her too. Grandparents are Mel and Mary Lou Passmore, and Mickey and Jim Sorenson, all of Grayling.

Editor's Quote Book

Praise can be your most valuable asset as long as you don't aim it at yourself.
O.A. Battista

BINGO!

Weyerhaeuser's latest donation to Red Cross Regional Blood Center runs total to \$33,000

The Weyerhaeuser Company Foundation has awarded a grant of \$1,500 for the new Red Cross Regional Blood Center serving all 14 hospitals of northern Michigan. The new, 15,000 square foot blood processing laboratory was constructed last year to help assure hospitalized patients in the 17 uppermost counties of Michigan that the blood they require is consistently available and as safe as medically possible.

Public support for this new blood center, which began operations in May, 1991, was generated from the corporations, businesses, foundations,

and individuals throughout northern Michigan. This grant, and three prior gifts totalling \$33,000, continue to make the Weyerhaeuser Company Foundation's support the largest single gift from a corporation.

According to David Thayer, Manager of Northern Blood Operations for the Red Cross, the new facility is designed to collect, process, store and distribute some 25,500 units (pints) of whole blood annually, the amount required to meet northern Michigan's blood needs up to the year 2010. "We are very grateful to the Weyerhaeuser Company Foundation,

and to the management team of Grayling's Weyerhaeuser Structurwood plant, for the tremendous commitment they have shown for this vitally needed Blood Center. Weyerhaeuser continues to be on the forefront of corporate leadership in Michigan for health care issues, including those issues of blood supply safety so vital to the American Red Cross."

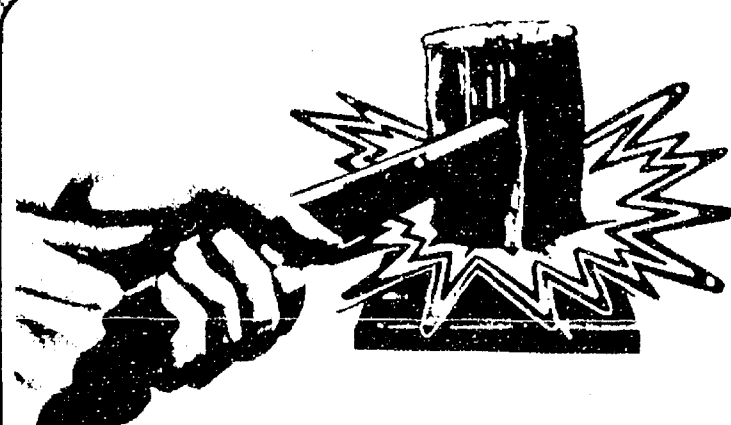
The Weyerhaeuser Company Foundation was established in 1948 as the principle means of philanthropy for Weyerhaeuser Company. The Foundation's twofold mission is to

improve the quality of life in communities where Weyerhaeuser has a major presence and to provide leadership that increases public understanding of issues where society's needs intersect with the interests of the forest products industry.

The Weyerhaeuser Grayling facility is celebrating its 10th year of operation here and during that time grants totalling nearly \$550,000 have been awarded by the Weyerhaeuser Foundation to local and area non-profit organizations.



BLOOD CENTER DONATION—Karl Greene, from the Grayling Weyerhaeuser Structurwood plant, reviews a list of public supporters of the new blood center with American Red Cross assistant administrator David Thayer. Weyerhaeuser has donated \$33,000 toward the regional center. (Linda Wright photo)



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United Way Auction

Saturday, October 3, 1992

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Silent Auction Starts at 6 p.m. —

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Fantastic Prize Board

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| • John Jones | • Dick Albee | • Skip Madsen |
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| • Jim Bourrie | • Carl Craft | • Karen Casler |
| • Judge John Hunter | • Dr. Chuck Gosling | • Dixie Lobsinger |
| • Randy Thompson | • Paul Thomson | • Marty VanDeVen |

Gloria Kraus and Maureen McNamara—Co-chairpersons



**Ron Sprague
Auctioneer**

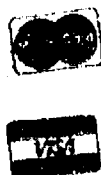
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\$300.00 Advertising.....	Crawford County Avalanche	Hors D'oeuvres Trays.....	Copper Kettle	Night's Lodging.....	Aquarama Motor Lodge
"Sharp" CD Player-Home Unit.....	Ben Franklin Family Center	Homemade Cheese Cakes.....	Copper Kettle	Full Service Car Care.....	Diane's Milltown Car Wash
300 Instant Lottery Tickets.....	Scheer Motors	4 18 Hole Green Fees w/Riding Cart.....	Grayling Country Club	2 Regular Car Care.....	Diane's Milltown Car Wash
Lady's Seiko Watch.....	R. Wieber Jewelers	Gift Certificates.....	Grayling Big Boy	5 Super Washes.....	Diane's Milltown Car Wash
Man's Seiko Watch.....	R. Wieber Jewelers	A & W Mugs.....	A & W	Certificates for Beef Pasties.....	Albie's Bakery
Auction Cash Donation.....	Ridley's Antiques	Auction Cash Donation.....	Larry & Joan's Place	Thanksgiving Dinner for 6.....	Chief Shoppenagon's
Lamp.....	Ernie's Flea Market	Dinner for 2.....	Weatherly's	2 Decorated Cakes.....	Goodale's Bakery
Garbage Disposal.....	Appliance Parts of Grayling	2 Cases of Very Fine Juices.....	7-Eleven	15 Gallons of Regular Gas.....	Clair's Standard
Hand-Carved Eagle.....	William Burick-Frederic	2 Cases of Pop - Cooler w/Ice.....	7-Eleven	Gift Certificate-Repairs or Winterizing.....	Milltown Motors
Gift Certificate.....	Ole Dam Party Store	Deluxe Shower Head.....	Jansen's	Gift Certificate Toward Purchase.....	Milltown Motors
4 Custom Designed Jackets.....	Sylvester's	Delta Soap-Lotion Dispenser.....	Jansen's	Pin-stripping of Car or Truck.....	Show Tyme Collision
\$100 Series EE Savings Bond.....	Hamrick Real Estate Co.	2 Full Service Oil Changes.....	Grayling Car Care	12x12 vinyl Flooring.....	Milltown Carpet
Gift Certificate.....	Terry's Sport Center	Coors Picture.....	Fabiano Bros.	2 Bushels of Macintosh Apples.....	Jim's Farm Market
12 Monthly Gift Certificates.....	Weaver's Gifts	12 Budweiser Holiday Steins.....	Fabiano Bros.	Permanent.....	Econo-Cuts
\$100 Chamber \$10,000 Raffle Ticket.....	Grayling Outdoors Products	Coors Lite Picture.....	Fabiano Bros.	Bronze Sculpture.....	Skip's Sport Shop
\$100 Chamber \$10,000 Raffle Ticket.....	Mac's Drugs	Budweiser Clydesdale Mirror.....	Fabiano Bros.	Nautical Wooden Carved Lamp.....	Skip's Sport Shop
\$100 Chamber \$10,000 Raffle Ticket.....	Judge Tom Davis	Budweiser Picture.....	Fabiano Bros.	Sportsman's Shotgun Box.....	Skip's Sport Shop
\$100 Chamber \$10,000 Raffle Ticket.....	Dr. Arthur Kerle	4 Assorted Beer Signs.....	Fabiano Bros.	Fanny Pack.....	Cartwright & Danewell
\$100 Chamber \$10,000 Raffle Ticket.....	Cornell Insurance	18" Freshwater Pearl w/Garnet Necklace.....	Davis Jewelers	Haircut & Style.....	Essence of Beauty
\$100 Chamber \$10,000 Raffle Ticket.....	Carlisle Paddles	Car Cleaning Kit.....	Auto Wares	4 Lawn Chairs.....	Rutter's
\$100 Chamber \$10,000 Raffle Ticket.....	Sheriff Harold Hatfield	Week's Free Care of Child.....	Crawford AuSable Day Care	Brass Floor Lamp.....	Comfort Center
\$100 Chamber \$10,000 Raffle Ticket.....	Grayling Restaurant	One of One Canoe Marathon Painting.....	Terry Dickinson	2 Hour Live Remote - 15-30 Second Spots.....	WGRY-True Country 101
\$100 Chamber \$10,000 Raffle Ticket.....	Gerry and Pat Thomas	Cattleya Orchid.....	Loretha McIntyre	Miller Mirror "Common Loon".....	Lake Country
\$100 Chamber \$10,000 Raffle Ticket.....	Clough's Realty	Family X-Country Skiing Membership.....	Grayling Rec. Authority	Miller Mirror "Rainbow Trout".....	Lake Country
Smoked Salmon.....	Plath's Meats-Rogers City	Family Downhill Skiing Membership.....	Grayling Rec. Authority	Miller "NBA" Mirror.....	Lake Country
Grayling Dollars.....	Chamber of Commerce	2 Dinners for 2.....	Holiday Inn	Miller "Genuine Draft" Picture.....	Lake Country
10 Reserved Seats for Minstrel Show.....	Superior Janitorial	Antique Pitcher.....	Pot Belly Antiques	Auction Cash Donation.....	V. Kraus
Year's Pass for 2.....	Rialto Theatre	Produce Basket Certificate.....	Roche's	Gift Certificates.....	Kmart
4 Trays of Holiday Cookies.....	Grayling Promotional Assn.	African Violets.....	Don Geiss	Bird Feeder.....	Milltown Feed
Picnic Basket.....	Riverhouse Shelter	Christmas Wreath.....	The Party Line	Gourmet Dinner Party.....	Celebrity Auctioneer, Paul Thomson
Lady's Jean Jacket.....	Ray and Karen Bankert	Month's Membership w/Initiation Fees.....	Rainbow Fitness	Sailing Trips.....	Celebrity Auctioneer, Dr. Chuck Gosling
2 Truck Bug Shields.....	Milltown Motors	Hair Cut and Style.....	Mary Neal - A Cut Above	Mexican Dinner for 6.....	Celebrity Auctioneers, Carl & Judy Craft
\$50 Savings Bond.....	Chemical Bank	Dance Lessons for 2 Months.....	Louise Tournaud School of Dance	Day's Guided River Boat Trip.....	Celebrity Auctioneers, Skip & Gail Madsen
Framed Print.....	The Frame Shop	Gift Certificates.....	Spike's Keg O'Nails		
Interstate Marine RV Battery.....	Grayling RV Center	Canoe Trip for 2.....	Borcher's AuSable Canoeing		
Ready-To-Eat Auction Specials.....	Bear's Country Inn	Sweatshirt and 2 T-Shirts.....	Penrod's		
Dinner for Two.....	Grayling Red Barn	Hair Care Package.....	A Cut Above		
Stoneware Bird Feeder.....	Down River Hardware	Carousell Sweatshirt.....	Flo's Hallmark		
6 Shrimp Platters.....	Grayling Restaurant	Large Cooler.....	Moore's Automotive		
Golf Putter.....	Chemical Bank	Gift Certificates.....	Golden Touch		
Handmade Set of Pigs.....	Sherry Haag	Heating/Cooling Thermostat.....	Clyde's Plumbing & Heating		
8 Books.....	Pelton's Book Exchange	Two Canoes for Four People.....	Ray's Canoes		
Lamp.....	Half Price Outlet	18 Hole Green Fees w/Car.....	Fox Run Country Club		
Cedar-filled Dog Bed.....	Milltown Groomer	2 Honeywell Thermostats.....	Herbert Plumbing		
12" World Globe.....	Downtown Ben Franklin	Laundry Detergent.....	Sear's		
Old Spice Decanter.....	Dawson's	Ceiling Fan.....	McLean's Hardware		
Christmas Tape.....	Victoriana	Candles & Jig-Saw Puzzles.....	Hertha's Gift Shop		
Schoolbag.....	The Hickory Stick	Gift Certificates.....	McDonald's		
Ivy Sweater and Earrings.....	Jan's Closet	Auction Cash Donation.....	Richard & Gail Corsette		
Large Mirror.....	Grayling Glass	Grab Bag.....	The Icehouse		
Carpeting.....	Dunkley Floor Covering	Sharp Laser Printer.....	Advanced Business Machines		
2 Large Pizzas.....	Buccelli's	"Travelogue" Series.....	C.C. AuSable Comm. Ed.		
2 Sunday Turkey Dinners.....	Hodder's Dinner Bell	"Learning Through Music".....	C.C. AuSable Comm. Ed.		
Business Cards.....	Northern Litho	Family Viking Sports Pass.....	C.C. AuSable Comm. Ed.		
10 Video Rentals.....	Mc Video	Sweatshirt.....	AuSable Gifts		
Gift Certificates.....	Wendy's	Tin Basket w/Mugs & Coffee.....	Kit Caboodle & Co.		
Case of Oil.....	Car Quest	Lawn Mower.....	J. Dap/J.C. Penney		
Month's Rental of VCR.....	Continental Rental	2 Boxes of Books.....	Mary's Corner Books		
2 Chicken Dinners.....	Lone Pine Restaurant	Tasty Goodies.....	Mary's Corner Books		
Tanning Sessions.....	Hair Station-Tan Lines	Hansel & Gretel Dolls by V. Watson.....	M & M Crafts		
2 Hair Styles or Cuts.....	Deb & Dale Family Styles	Harmony Tone Dial Telephone.....	GTE		
Party Packs.....	Little Caesar's	10 Kodak Video T120 Tapes.....	LaRosa & Co.		
Meat "Bundle".....	Glen's Market	Night's Lodging.....	Fay's Motel		
10- Lines of Bowling.....	American Legion #106	Night's Lodging.....	Warbler's Way Inn		
Dinner for 2.....	Patti's Towne House	Jacuzzi Suite.....	Hospitality House		
4-Wheel Spin Balance.....	Upper Lakes Tire	Last Will & Testament.....	David R. Sabin, P.C.		
2 Large Pizzas.....	Pizza Hut	Night's Lodging.....	River Country Motor Lodge		
Set of Framed Nursery Rhymes.....	AuSable Woodworking-Frederic				

A Very Special Thank-you To Our Fantastic United Way Volunteers. Because Of Them — It Really Works!

Mary Jane Knibbs	Beth Welland	Bay Lowrie	Lole Palmer	Kelly Fortino
Shelley Wakefield	Betty Bennett	D.J. Brown	Lanice Rubin	Ivy McIsaac
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